NEVADA CITY NUGGET

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CITY COUNCIL OKAYS LIGHTS AT BALL FIELD

Nevada City council last night enacted a disaster ordinance, boosted policemen's salaries, gave the "go ahead" signal to light the Pioneer park athletic field, and opened studies of a possible new truck route through the city.

The emergency ordinance setting up a disaster council headed by Mayor Thomas Taylor was voted unanimously after a brief study of the model ordinance recommended by Governor Earl Warren's state disaster council.

Councilman H. J. Ray was named commander of the organization to act with Mayor Taylor in making various appointments and setting up units and divisions which would swing into action in case of fire, flood, riot, earthquake or damage from enemy action. The organization will also make provisions for transportation and communication services and housing in case of evacuation of residents of metropolitan areas into this section.

Mayor Taylor reported the school board had agreed to join with the city in financing the Pioneer park field up to $4,000. This commitment in addition to a similar amount voted by the city council several months ago will adequately finance the anticipated $7,500 cost of the faciilty.

The council also voted Police Chief J. J. Jackson a probationary status of six months and established his salary at $250. Patrolmen now receiving $205 a month were raised to the $225 monthly pay rate.

Fred Bush, Pioneer park superintendent was voted a $50 a month pay boost with the understanding he also accept the work of testing and treating duties at the sewage disposal plant when the facility is completed.

The council took no action but briefly studied possibility of the routing of trucks off highway 20 onto Uren street thence onto Coyote street to the Plaza.

LOCAL NSGW AND NDGW PARLORS PARTCIPATE IN S. F. CENTENNIAL

Hydraulic Parlor No. 56, Nevada City, and Quartz Parlor No. 58, Grass Valley of the Native Sons of the Golden West, and Laurel Parlor No. 6, Nevada City; Manzanita Parlor No. 29, Grass Valley, and Columbia Parlor No. 70, French Corral, participated in the California centeninal parade of 100 floats and 50 bands held in San Francisco last Saturday.

Most of the floats were constructed by the California centennial committee of San Francisco. The Nevada county float, portraying the Donner party, was built by the committee at a cost of $3,500.

Performing in the tableau for Nevada county were Rudy R. Plageman, Elza Kilroy, Hydraulic; Jack Hansen, Neil Whiting, Quartz; Mrs. Adele Browning, Columbia; Mrs. Phoebe Maguire, Laurel; Mrs. Hannahbelle Daley, and Miss Brita Berryman, Manzanita.

Nela, daughter of Whiting, and Frances, daughter of Mrs. Gwendolyn Anderson, Laurel, also participated.

Earl Covey, Quartz parlor, and Grand Outside Sentinel of California, rode with other grand officers of the lodges in decorated cars in the parade.

The centennial celebration was sponsored by the two organizations of California native sons and daughters.

MAURICE KOUKEL TO FEATURE ASSEMBLY

Maurice Koukel, noted violinist, will present a concert at the first national assembly of the Nevada City high school current year next Wednesday afternoon at 2:40 o'clock in the school auditorium.

Koukel will present a concert of semi-classical music.

NID BOARD SITS AS EQUALIZATION TODAY

Board of directors of the Nevada Irrigation District will sit as a biard of equalization today at 1:30 p.m. in the NID officees in Grass Valley, to hear protests of assessment valuations of NID property owners.

REAPPRAISAL PROGRAM STARTS IN OCTOBER BY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE TO ESTABLISH CONTINUING POLICY

Nevada county will embark on a major reappraisal program for equalization purposes on the first of October that will, when it is completed, place the county on a continuing and up-to-date method of assessing property, according to Phil G. Scadden, Nevada county assessor.

The project is expected to take two years to complete and will cost the county $60,000 to install if the complete recommendations of the California Board of Equalization are executed.

The board of supervisors approved a $10,000 expenditure in the current budget to finance the start of the reappraisal field work.

The recommendations of the board of equalization will put the assessor's office on a recurring annual budget of approximately $23,000 after the initial installation of the reappraisal program is completed.

The state office recommended expenditure of $54,586 for the first year of which $33,586 is suggested as installation outlay. A major share of the initial expenditure is budgeted for temporary employees, calling for four appraisers for field work, two map draftsmen, calculating machine operator, and typist-clerk. The second year recommendations call for an expenditure of $25,990 for the temporary employees.

Once the initial reappraisal survey is completed the continuing operations of the office can be performed by the present staff comprising the assessor, appraiser, assessment clerk and account clerk, with part-time help of a seasonal appraiser for 117 days, and a part-time clerk for 90 days.

The state office recommendation carries increased salaries for the office, suggesting $6,000 for the assessor ($3,820), $3,900 for appraiser ($2,880), $2,904 for assessment clerk ($2,520), and $2,520 for account clerk ($2,190). Figures in parentheses are 1950-51 salaries.

The assessor's office expended $21,005.77 for plat and map books the past two years, and has budgeted $2,500 this year to complete that phase of the project. Other physical installations required for the reappraisal project are appraisal record forms, master property record cards, drafting equipment, and office equipment and supplies.

The reappraisal survey calls for the physical evaluating of 14,570 units of real property, 8,350 units of improvement replacement, 855 units of personal property of industrial and professional accounts, 7,144 units of personal property on farms and residences, and 15 airplanes. The project is estimated to require 2,720 man-days by appraisers.

The Nevada county 1949 assessment rolls listed 10 large buildings, 49 hotels and apartments, 52 industrial plants, 72 service stations, 394 farms, 524 commercial properties, 1,066 special properties, and 5,529 residential and unclassified properties on the improved property list.

Land appraisals on the 1949 rolls listed 52 industrial sites, 394 farms, 606 commercial parcels, and 10,737 residential and unclassified. Improvement appraisals listed 59 hotels, apartments and large buildings, 95 industrial plants, 596 commercial sites, 788 farms and 6,812 residential and miscellaneous. Personal property and fixtures were listed as 15 airplanes, 75 professional and service, 394 farms, 780 commercial and industrial, and 6,750 residential.

Exemptions in 1949 totalled

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NEVADA COUNTY PICNIC SUNDAY IN OAKLAND

Thirty-third annual Nevada county reunion picnic will be held Sunday at Mosswood park, Broadway and MacArthur boulevard, in Oakland.

An invitation is extended to all Nevada county residents, past and present, to attend the outing. They are asked to bring their own picnic lunches. Coffee may be obtained at the park.

A trio of Welsh singers, led by Oliver Jones, will provide entertainment. Jones is well known for unique programs in Eastbay musical circles.

Mrs. George C. Carson, who is largely responsible for the continuance of the reunions, has been confined to Peralta hospital, but hopes to attend the picnic Sunday.

Officers of the Nevada County Reunion club are Will H. Doidge, president; Mrs. Alma McCormick Zembsch, vice president; Miss Florence Curnow, financial secretary and treasurer, and Charles Temby, recording secretary.

$27,700 IN BUILDING PERMITS ARE ISSUED

Nevada County's assessor's office issued permits this week for $27,700 worth of new construction, all but $1,000 of it being for buildings in the eastern end of the county.

Rex E. Reid, Truckee contractor, applied for four permits for construction in the Donner Pines and Donner Villa tracts.

They include a $3,000 frame home for Walter J. Smith of Truckee; a $3,000 frame home for Jack Melugin, Truckee, and a $7,500 three-cottage rental unit for himself, all in the Donner Pines development. Reid also applied for a permit to build a $3,200 frame home for Robert L. Renton, Detroit, Mich., in Donner Villa tract.

Ernest Tschopp, Soda Springs, asked for a permit to build a $10,000 garage and service station at Kingvale.

Ervon J. Cox, Grass Valley, was issued a permit to build a $1,000 workshop on the Idaho-Maryland road, east of Grass Valley.

The Weather

Fred Bush, Observer

	Max.	Min.
Friday, Sept. 8	79	51
Saturday, Sept. 9 ..	78	45
Sunday, Sept. 10	73	47
Monday, Sept. 11	77	48
Tuesday, Sept. 12	80	47
Wednesday, Sept. 13	78	46
Thursday, Sept. 14 ..	78	42

Rain: Sept. 8, trace.

$5,000 LOCAL PROJECT UNDERWAY BY PG&E

A $5,000 reconstructiin project to improve wire clearances on power line poles of the Pacific Gas & Electric company in Nevada City, according to Larry Farrel, local manager.

Crews of the power company are busy this week making the improvements on Broad street.

Farrell said improvements will also be made in various spots in Nevada City.

Work at the sub-station is also included in the project.

NEVADA COUNTY WINS 22 FIRSTS IN MINERALS AT CALIFORNIA FAIR

Despite the winning of 22 firsts in minerals and mining exhibits in the Calfornia state fair held in Sacramento last week, Nevada county's booth had to be satisfied with second prize in display of mineral exhibits. Amador took first place and Calaveras was in third place.

Nevada county placed first in placer gold display; gold ore specimens showing not less than one-third of volume of specimen to be gold not necessarily from active mines; most important new gold find; gold bearing gravels; free milling lode; gold bearing sulfide ores; precious metals sweepstakes; chrome; iron; lead; manganese; silver; tungsten; mill products (gold); metals and ores sweepstakes; barite; graphite; magnesite; cut and polished gem materials; uncut gem materials; petrified wood, natural specimen; sweepstakes, gems and jewelers materials.

Nevada county won second prizes in gold ore specimens — showing not less than one-third of volume of specimen to be gold; antimony; molybdenum; petrified wood, polished specimens.

Nevada county's only third award in minerals was for optical and electric quartz.

Nevada county took second in plate exhibit of pears, and also second in Comice pears.

Nevada county won firsts in apples in golden delicious, red delicious, and Arkansas black varieties. Second prizes were won for delicious, Spitzenberg, Alexander, King David and Red Rome varities of applies. Third prizes were won in Roman beauty, yellow Newton pippin and winesaps.

CAPITAL FIRM LOW

Jenkins and Jensen, Sacramento construction contractors, were the low bidders on the Nevada City National Guard armory with a bid of $89,400, according to an announcement by the state division of architecture Wednesday.

1856 HISTORY OF NEVADA COUNTY BY AARON A. SARGENT INCLUDED DIRECTORY OF BUSINESS HOUSES

This is the first installment of the 1856 Directory of Nevada County, a publication which included a history of Nevada City, Grass Valley and Nevada County written by Aaron A. Sargent, one of Nevada City's most prominent early day residents.

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Dr. W. G. Alban, druggist, corner Broad and Pine Streets.
Burke and Bowden, dentists, 21 Commercial Street.
A. Block & Co., 41 Commercial Street, dealers in clothing.

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FORMER PRIEST OF ST. CANICE IS CALLED TO REST

Funeral services and interment will be held this morning for Rev. Father Patrick O'Reilly, for 33 years pastor of St. Canice Catholic church here, who died Saturday morning in Mercy hospital, Sacramento.

Requiem high mass will take place at 10 a.m. in the church sanctuary. Diocese officers will be in charge. Burial will take place in the priests' section of the Grass Valley Catholic cemetery.

Rosary was held last night at 8 o'clock.

Father O'Reilly, 73, was born in Ireland where he was ordained a priest. He came to California in 1906 and served a year in the Sacramento cathedral.

For three years he was assistant pastor at Colusa and in 1906 he was appointed pastor of the Downieville Catholic church.

He became pastor of St. Canice church in 1911, where he served as pastor until 1944 when he was transferred to St. Patrick's Catholic church in Grass Valley.

One of Father O'Reilly's best friends among the laymen of Nevada City will prepare an obituary and eulogy, which The Nugget will publish in next week's issue.

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE DESTROYS FIVE SLOT MACHINES HERE

Five slot machines seized at a Donner Summit resort in February by agents of Attorney General Frederick N. Houser, were destroyed in the sheriff's office here late Wednesday and the $196 in the coin boxes turned over to the county treasurer.

Undersheriff Otis Hardt who disposed of the demolished machines yesterday said the sheriff's office here had no knowledge of the seizure and did not know specifically the name of the establishment except that it was near the Donner summit on U. S. highway 40.

The machines varied in denomination from five cents to 50 cent. They were brought here Wednesday from Sacramento.

DEAD MAN IN CAR TWO DAYS ON BUSY HIGHWAY

The body of Private Norman R. Hoffman, 23, Oak Park, Ill., lay in the car in which he committed suicide for two days on busy highway 20 just above the Drum canal crossing in Bear valley east of here.

The body was discovered by Ed Hodgson, truck driver, who had a piece of disabled equipment parked in the same area, after he noticed the car had been unmoved for two days. The body was in the trunk of the car. The defroster tube had been attached to the exhaust.

A scribbled note in Hoffman's pocket, assigned to Suisun-Fairfield air base, asked that his body be cremated.

J. J. JACKSON NAMED CHIEF OF POLICE

J. J. Jackson, native of Nevada City and member of a pioneer family, veteran of ten years on the Nevada City police department, and treasurer of the Nevada City Athletic club, was appointed chief of police if Nevada City at a special session of the city council Friday morning.

Mayor Thomas H. Taylor made the announcement of the probatonary appointment.

Jackson replaces Max Solaro, who recently resigned to accept employment with the Grizzly Creek Lumber company.

Ray M. Ruiz, 35, rancher in the Bear river section, was electrocuted Monday afternoon while wiring a pumping plant at his ranch.

JUNIOR HIGH TO BE STUDIED FOR CONGESTION AID

Study of the possibility of the establishment of a junior high school to relieve congested condition of the Nevada City elementary school was ordered by the board of trustees of Nevada City unified school district at its regular meeting Monday night at the elementary school.

Lloyd Geist, principal of the school, was instructed to study the possibility of establishing the junior high school at the Nevada City high school plant.

Ed A. Frantz, principal of the high school, said two rooms at the high school plant can be made available for the program and added that eighth grade pupils could be given a broad curriculum.

Frantz estimated it would require hiring of two additional instructors.

Geist reported to the board the first grade is divided into two 40-pupil classes, and that under such crowded conditions a teacher cannot properly instruct the children. He suggested the board hire an additional teacher and conduct a half-day session for the first graders in the kindergarten building.

In another action the board unanimously agreed to aid the city in financing installation of lights at the athletic field in Pioneer park. The board would stand 50 percent of the installation cost up to $4,000.

Mayor Thomas H. Taylor outlined the advantages of having a lighted athletic field to the board members.

Dr. Bernard W. Hummelt, the board chairman said, "I personally am in favor of the school helping to provide lights for the park. It will be an asset to the community and school."

The board agreed an early start on the project should be made while necessary equipment and material can be obtained.

Trustee John L. Larue, who is to represent the district at the Wednesday meeting of the augmented committee on school district organization at the Nevada City high school, was instructed to vote "yes" on the proposition to submit a plan to form a union high school district for western Nevada county to the electorate.

The trustees also moved to ask the city street department to surface the elementary school playground after no bids were received by private contractors.

Herb Hallett, city street superintendent, said a week will be required to complete the project.

Tentatively approved was plan to erect a quonset hut as shower and rest rooms at Pioneer park by the students of the manual training class of the high school.

The board authorized Geist to purchase an AF-FM radio for the elementary school at a cost of $229 plus an estimated $30 for installation of an FM antenna.

Request by Company E, 184th Infantry Regiment, California National Guard to use the high school gymnasium three nights a week for training in event the unit is alerted was approved.

Frantz was authorized to establish night school classes in folk dancing, shop, sewing, upholstery and mental health.

AUTO ACCIDENT DELAYS JOURNEY TO ALTAR

Failure to yield right of way at the intersection of Pine and Sacramento streets Saturday and the resultant collision delayed a wedding trip to Reno for R. J. Ritter, Billy Ritter, Rosalie Collins and Larita Rowe, all of Live Oak.

According ti Police Chief J. J. Jackson, the accident occurred when Billy Ritter turned left off Sacramento and onto South Pine into the path of a truck driven by Mosco Smart, local distributor.

Ritter was cited for failure to yield right of way.

ELECTRIC ORGAN TO BE INSTALLED IN CHURCH

A Hammond electric organ was ordered this week for installation at St. Canice Catholic church within the next two or three weeks.

Father William Daly, pastor of the church, said the instrument cost approximately $1,400.

Mrs. Elise DeMattei is church organist.

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THE PERFECT OFFICIAL

With the death of Warren E. Odell Sunday Nevada county lost one of its few remaining perfect officials, a rare type of leader which is rapidly disappearing from the American scene.

When we say Warren Odell was the perfect official we are not using the word "perfect" loosely.

Odell was the ideal county leader because he combined a strict policy of economy with a progressive desire for improvement and advance.

When we say that Warren Odell was economical we do not mean to imply he was parsimonious. When we say he was a strong supporter of improvement and advance, we do not wish to leave the impression he was ever guilty of extravagance.

Warren Odell possessed a rare perception of county fiscal matters and the ability to investigate shrewdly. He usually came up with the right answers and furthermore he usually was able to convert brother supervisors to his way of thinking.

We can recall when Warren Odell sharply opposed small appropriations of less than $100 because he believed the expenditure was unncessary yet he was the first member of the board to approve the purchase of a $6,000 photostat machine for the county recorder's office.

When occasional disputes broke out around the supervisorial roundtable Warren Odell was always able to bring the disputing parties together and most votes when he wielded the gavel, were unanimous.

It has been frequently pointed out that there is a vast difference between a politican and a statesman. Warren Odell was of the latter type.

A GOOD JOB!!!

Grass Valley and the Grass Valley Lions Club are to be congratulated on the completion and opening of Lion Lake which has been dedicated to the angling interests of the county's teenagers.

The financing drive was well planned and speedily completed and the construction and excavation of the lake facilities required only a month for completion.

The contributions asked for imposed no great hardships on the giver ($1 per share for uncommon stock) and the amount of donated time and effort was more than adequate.

The five-acre lake on the Nevada county fair grounds has been stocked with black bass and blue gills and the youngsters below fishing license age are due for some fine angling along the one mile of shoreline where no adults may fish.

Which all brings us around to the point that perhaps Nevada City should institute a campaign for similar juvenile fishing facilities.

In fact, the idea for such a lake is not a new one here. Several years ago a local group suggested an earth or rock dam across Deer Creek to impound the waters into a lake along the rough and rugged course of the stream which bisects the city.

Now the Highgraders, an organization of local newsmen and artists, are preparing to revive interests along such lines.

Already they have met certain difficulties and hurdles —perhaps not insurmountable, but at least annoying.

It has been pointed out that the boulder strewn bed of the canyon does not readily adapt itself to bulldozers in the construction of an earth fill dam.

They have learned that construction of a poured concrete dam with proper spillways is not within local financing range.

They have learned that some of the property owners along the stream might object to having several feet cut off their back yards.

They have been advised that complex water rights affect the stream flow in Deer Creek.

These are all major problems but if the community is interested in such a facility the program is well within the range of possibility.

The Nugget however would advocate one step beyond the point suggested by the Highgraders.

We believe such a facility should not be limited to the junior anglers but should be a place where the entire family could learn the fine art of fly and plug casting.

We fully grant that the rights of the youngsters should be preserved and that certain sections of the lake and perhaps certain times should be limited to the junior Isaak Waltons.

However we also believe it is a birthright of a father to fish with son and the privilege of a son to fish with his father.

Truman may have read about Martin Van Buren, who was defeated for the presidency because he refused to spend the public funds.—Centralia, Wash., Chronicle.

No wonder babies cry when they are born into this world—naked and hungry, and find they already owe the government $1,700.—Olney, Ill., Advocate.

Home and Abroad



THE UNHAPPY NID

Last week The Nugget editorially endorsed the candidacy of Herbert Nile for retention as director of the Nevada Irrigation District. In order to not nullify his work on the board of directors it is not only necessary to return him to his present post, but to do likewise to Chairman Max Arnold.

Forrest Varney, deposed manager of the NID, is in a very embarrassing position. Regardless of the outcome of the election, whether the electors endorse him or his ousting, it appears to us that it would be far better for the ex-manager that he seek employment with a district or organization that would not entail the wrangling that has plagued the NID.

Regardless of whether or not Varney is the cause of the wrangling in the district, nevertheless the wrangling exists and is evident will continue at least as long as he is a part of the organization.

There comes a time in the lives of men and in organizations when a fresh start is the only solution. It appears to us that the time for a fresh start with a new manager or management now faces the NID.

If the electorate feel that Varney should remain out then both Nile and Arnold should be retained, but it also appears obvious that recall of the two directors will not end the wrangling plaguing the NID.

HATS OFF!!

We take off our editorial hat today to salute the directors and finance campaigners of the Pioneer Park Narrow Gauge Railroad for their quiet but effective campaign to raise funds for construction of the junior rail line which will be dedicated to entertainment of the city's youngsters.

The bond selling drive with a goal of $750 is nearing the half-way point with the campaign less than two weeks old.

The gaudy green and gold certificates patterned after the old stock shares sold in the Gay Nineties are apparently a desirable item and local folks are buying them at the Nugget and Union offices at the rate of $10 to $30 a day.

Thus far downtown merchants have not been called upon for heavy contributions as is the practice in most money raising drives here.

A headline is a group of words conveying the wrong impression of a story in the briefest possible space.

Ticklers — By George



"The doc is dressed in a special outfit today. He's trying to scare some people into paying their bills."

A CASE FOR INVESTIGATION

Hal Wright, publisher of the Sierra County Booster, in last week's issue, charges three law enforcement officers with actions that merit investigation by Sacramento officials. If the charges of Wright are substantiated the officers should be dismissed from the force. We are not yet a police state, and until that day arrives, police officers are to be guided by rules and regulations and not behave like Gestapo or Ogpu members.

Hal Wright's story as he published it last week:

"You may remember month before last when I contrasted the four law enforcement officers based in Downieville with the one in Loyalton, I didn't know I was drilling into a hornet's nest, but before the next issue hit the street I was given a citation for reckless driving—and there were three officers as witnesses.

"I was alone. Seems odd that in 30 years driving in Sierra county and other parts of California I had never been given a citation for reckless driving before. I was about as guilty of reckless driving as you are of murdering Omar the Tentmaker, but because of the three to one odds I was fined $25.

The officers were Officer Hoyt, Officer Binninger and Officer Banks. The alleged offense occurred in the heart of Loyalton at 10 o'clock at night when I drove from a standing start at not more than 25 m.p.h. to a stop one block away. The officers, who were within approximately 100 yards of my car during this time, said they could not find my car until some time afterwards—but I parked it within easy sight of them and I didn't try to hide—didn't even know they were looking for me.

"(Could this explain why it was so easy for a young fellow to walk out of the clutches of the law in Loyalton recently after he was told he was under arrest?)

"Half an hour later I was given the citation. They made sure I couldn't pick up a witness, didn't they?

"Officer Hoyt wouldn't give me an estimate of how fast I was going and the only reason he would give me for the citation was that I drove 'like a high school kid.' I'm flattered. On the stand he said I was going 40 to 45 m.p.h. More flattery—didn't know the old bus would do that.

"Before the trial Officer Binninger told me he thought I was going 20 to 25 m.p.h. (it's a 25 mile zone). At the trial he upped this to 35 to 40. Strange how figures grow, isn't it? Maybe Officer Binninger is a fisherman.

"Officers Banks followed the other officers in sort of a yes-man capacity. He did add, however, that he heard the brakes squeak at the time Officer Hoyt said I was picking up to 45 or 50. What a car!

"Although it was like tilting at windmills, I told my version of the incident. It was the truth. Oh, well, maybe the county needs the $25 more than I do. Perhaps it will come in handy for finishing the court house."

OUR CONGRESSMAN REPORTS:

By CLAIR ENGLE

Legislation Affecting District

While the house is waiting for the senate to catch up on important emergency legislation it may be well to look back over the field to see what has occured affecting industries and interests in the second congressional district—aside of course from the world-wide developments which have first claim on our attention.

In mining; the defense production of 1950 just passed by congress contains provisions which will permit an expansion of the exploration, development and mining of critical and strategic minerals and metals. Loans are authorized for exploration, development and mining which will make it possible to set up the same kind of liberal loan policy as we had during the last war. In addition, the president is authorized to go into a greatly accelerated program of procurement. Recently, a letter from John Steelman, the president's economic adviser, stated that the 25 percent limitation on premiums for domestic production usually followed under the buy-America clause has been lifted, and there will be no limitation on the amount of premium the government can pay to get immediate domestic production, provided, of course, it cannot be otherwise secured. The powers granted the president are very broad, but must be implemented by a definite policy. So far, that has not been stated, except in general terms. Those interested in mining here have been advocating a policy which would permit the payment of premiums if not on a uniform basis, at least on a selective contract basis with contracts running for a minimum of five years. It is our feeling that anything less will not be over a long enough period of time to really give domestic mining the impetus it needs. In the next few weeks it is expected that some definite policy will be announced by the administration.

Gold production, which is important to the second district, is going to be in the same kind of trouble that we had in the last war, except that we do not anticipate another L-208. The difficulties will be high cost of materials, and the increasing competition for labor, which little by little are apt to force the gold miners out of business. Some of them are already feeling the pinch.

Lumber Industry

The lumber industry, which hasn't had a really bad year since the war but until the Korean crisis was facing more normal conditions, is probably in line for another boom. In the meantime, plans are steadily developing toward establishing procedures for setting up sustained yield units in order to conserve and make the best utilization over the long haul of the nation's lumber resources. The lumber industry should watch these developments with great interest.

The measure for access road funds sponsored by senator Morse and me has been temporarily shelved, but there is a good possibility of reviving the bill in the next session or after the elections if congress returns in November. The committee on agriculture, in which the bill was pending, did not think there was any chance of making progress with the bill with everyone thinking in terms of recess or adjournment in the next couple of weeks. So far, there has been no demand from Administration sources for this legislation, although there has been no opposition from those sources either.

Livestock Industry

The livestock industry, of course, is watching the possibilities of controls, which caused any number of headaches during the last war. The imminence of controls at this time is not apparent, but the situation could change rapidly. In the meantime, both congress and executive agencies have over a period of months been trying to work out some kind of a formula for a basic grazing policy both in the national forests and on the public domain. Within recent weeks a so-called task force has been traveling through the west with one representative of the forest service, one from land management and one from the bureau of the budget, studying the problems of a basic grazing policy. This task force will undoubtedly make a recommendation sometime in the near future. Representatives of the livestock industry have been alert to this problem and have been giving it study and I hope will be pre-

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BREAKFAST TALK OPENS MOTHER LODE CAMPAIGN OF EDMUND PAT BROWN FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL

Edmund G. (Pat) Brown, Democratic candidate for attorney general, spoke before a group of Bourbon partisans Monday morning at a breakfast in the National hotel, stating he would establish a crime laboratory in the attorney general's department, if he is elected.

Brown was introduced to the assembled Democrats and one Republican, by Harold Berliner, Jr., chairman of Nevada county Democratic committee.

Brown said the Mother Lode country is where each candidate should appear at least once during his campaign, but added he would necessarily have to devote most of his time in the bailiwick of his opponent, Edward Shattuck, Republican candidate from Los Angeles.

Brown pointed out he gained a plurality in the primary on both tickets, winning 48 of 58 counties on the Bourbon ballot and 26 of 58 counties on the GOP ticket.

Brown promised he would interpret the laws of the state as a lawyer and not a politician if he is elected, and added he believed his experience in law enforcement as district attorney of San Francisco county would make him a better official than his opponent.

"My opponent has no experience in public office whatsoever," Brown asserted.

"As district attorney I have tried to find out why criminals are such. I have not been primarily interested in sending defendants to jail," the candidate declared. He also pointed out that crime costs California more than public education.

Brown said criminal investigation problems have become so complex it must be on a state and federal level rather than by cities and counties.

"California is faced with gangster problems not recognized in non-metropolitan areas," the candidate stated. "California has the greatest mass emigration in history and will continue to do so, and the atorney general's office cannot hamper the work of the governor and legislature with trivialities," he concluded.

In reply to a question by a Nugget reporter, Brown said the enforcement of gambling laws is a matter for local enforcement officials, and the attorney general's office is not super-sleuthing department, checking up on the efficiency of local law. The attorney general should step in only when local law enforcement fails.

Brown has been district attorney of San Francisco for six years. He was first elected in 1943, and was re-elected in 1947 for a second four-year term.

Brown is 45 years of age, married, the father of four children: Barbara, 19; Cynthia, 17; Edmund, Jr. (Jerry), 12, and Kathleen, 4½.

He was born in San Francisco April 21, 1905, and is a second-generation Californian. His maternal grandfather drove a stage between Hangtown and Sacramenti during the '49er era. His mother was born in Venado and his father, in San Francisco. Like so many other American boys who have risen to positions of responsibility and leadership, Brown sold newspapers as a youngster. He earned his collegs education working days and attending the University of California extension division at night. He is a graduate of the San Francisco law school, from which he received his L. L. B. degree.

He was admitted to the bar in 1927, and is a member of the San Francisco Bar association, the California Bar association, and the American Bar association.

A leader in Democratic affairs, Brown was delegated to the Democratic national convention in 1940, 1944, and 1948.

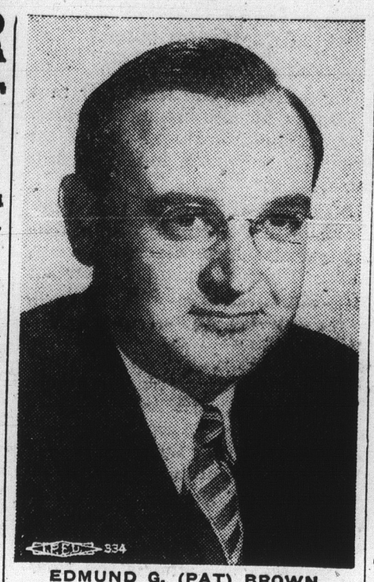
Brown is president of the District Attorneys' Association of Califoriia, and for years has taken a leading part in state-wide activities dealing with anti-social problems, such as the prevention of juvenile deliquency and sex crimes. He believes that the prevention of crime is more important than its prosecution and punishment.

A basic theory held by Brown is that the attorney-general should coordinate his efforts with local law enforcement officers, sheriffs and district attorneys, and work with them in a spirit of confident cooperation.

As a private attorney, Brown's practice included the handling of cases for American Federation of Labor unions and for municipal employee groups. He has served as director of the Golden Gate Bridge and highway district, and as a member of the California code commission which was charged with codification of all state laws.

He has served also as chairman of the San Francisco coordinating council, which includes all youth agencies, and has lectured at the University of California on the subject of juvenile deliquency.

Besides his thorough legal training, Brown has a broad background in the social, political and govermental affairs of city and state. He is a member



EDMUND G. (PAT) BROWN

of the Commercial club, the Elks club and the Lawyers club. He founded and served as first president of the Order of Cincinnatus, an organization of men and women of both the Democratic and Republican parties seeking to advance the cause of good government.

He has brought to his office broad understanding and imagination, which have resulted in widely-lauded innovations. These include a crime prevention department, created because Brown believes that an ounce of crime prevention is worth a pound of cure when dealing with both juvenile and adult crime. He has also set up a special bureau to handle cases of first offenders, for the purpose of rehabilitating these offenders as useful, constructive members of society.

Another special bureau in his office deals with crimes involving war veterans, and is directed by three veterans on his staff. He is the organizer of the group relations bureau in San Francisco, which holds hearings in an attempt to make minority groups of the city feel themselves an integral part of its society.

In recognition of Brown's outstanding record in juvenile deliquency correction, he was appointed chairman of San Francisco's coordinating council, which includes all youth agencies. San Francisco sends fewer young people to reformatories than does any other county in California.

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VARNEY FIRED AS NID MANAGER PER SCHEDULE

Forrest Varney, manager of the Nevada Irrigation District, for the past three years, was fired at Friday's meeting of the NID board of directors, on a roll call vote.

Effective date of discharge was last Friday, the day of action.

H. J. Gleason presented the motion and Herbert J. Nile, local director, seconded. Chairman Max Arnold voted with them in the affirmative.

E. B. Powers and O. G. Griffith cast negative votes.

Arnold announced to the assembly there would be no discussion from the floor that "everything that could be said has been said." The chairman persistently denied requests for recognition to speak from the floor.

Before roll call vote Powers read a statement in support of Varney and his management.

Varney, at the conclusion of the vote, said he felt he was entitled to one month's pay and he had 25 days accumulated vacation. Varney asked to be continued until Oct. 15 on inactive status until the Oct. 3 recall election had been held and the wishes of the electorate had been indicated.

Charles Law, hydrographer of the district, was appointed temporary agent for the district.

The board also voted three to two to amend the book of rules of the district by striking out the word "manager" where it appears and substitute the words "the board" until the vacancy is settled.

R. N. Smith, Newtown road, was named general superintendent of the Nevada, Placer and Mountain divisions.

At the afternoon session the directors sat as a board of equalization.

CURRENT FIRE SEASON WORST SINCE 1924

The costliest forest fire in California since 1924 is now at its peak of danger, federal and state forestry chiefs said today in a joint warning to hunters and all others who will be in the outdoors this fall.

"This has been the most explosive season California has had in 26 years," said a statement issued by DeWitt Nelson, state forester, and Perry A. Thompson, U. S. regional forester. "An unusual lack of humidity dried the forests and ranges this year to such a degree that some fires have traveled a mile in a few minutes. The peak of danger is right now, from the cumulative effect of months of dryness."

They urged hunters in the deer season opening tomorrow to take these precautions: Smoke only in camps, habitations or areas marked "Smoke here." Don't leave camp fires or warming fires until you kill the last spark. Report forest fires to the nearest forest station, peace officer or telephone operator.

So far this year, California has had over 4,000 forest and range fires. Fast-moving fronts of flame have taken six lives and burned more than 200,000 acres.

Damage to watersheds, timber and other natural resources may exceed five million dollars. Cost of suppressing the fires is at least several million dollars—which comes out of the taxpayer's pockets.

Nelson and Thompson declared this year's outbreak of fires is surpassed only by the disasterous season of 1924 when 2,600 forest fires burned 1,500,000 acres.

SUPERVISORS CHAIRMAN GOES TO STAR SESSION

Funeral services were held at the Hooper-Weaver mortuary in Grass Valley Wednesday for Warren Odell, chairman of the Nevada county board of supervisors, with interment in Clear Creek cemetery. Rev. Frank H. Buck, rector of Emmanuel Episcopal church, Grass Valley, officiated.

Odell died Sunday morning at the Miners hospital here where he had been a patient for the past month.

Odell was born June 26, 1881, in Illinois, but had lived most of his life in the Clear creek district where he operated a ranch.

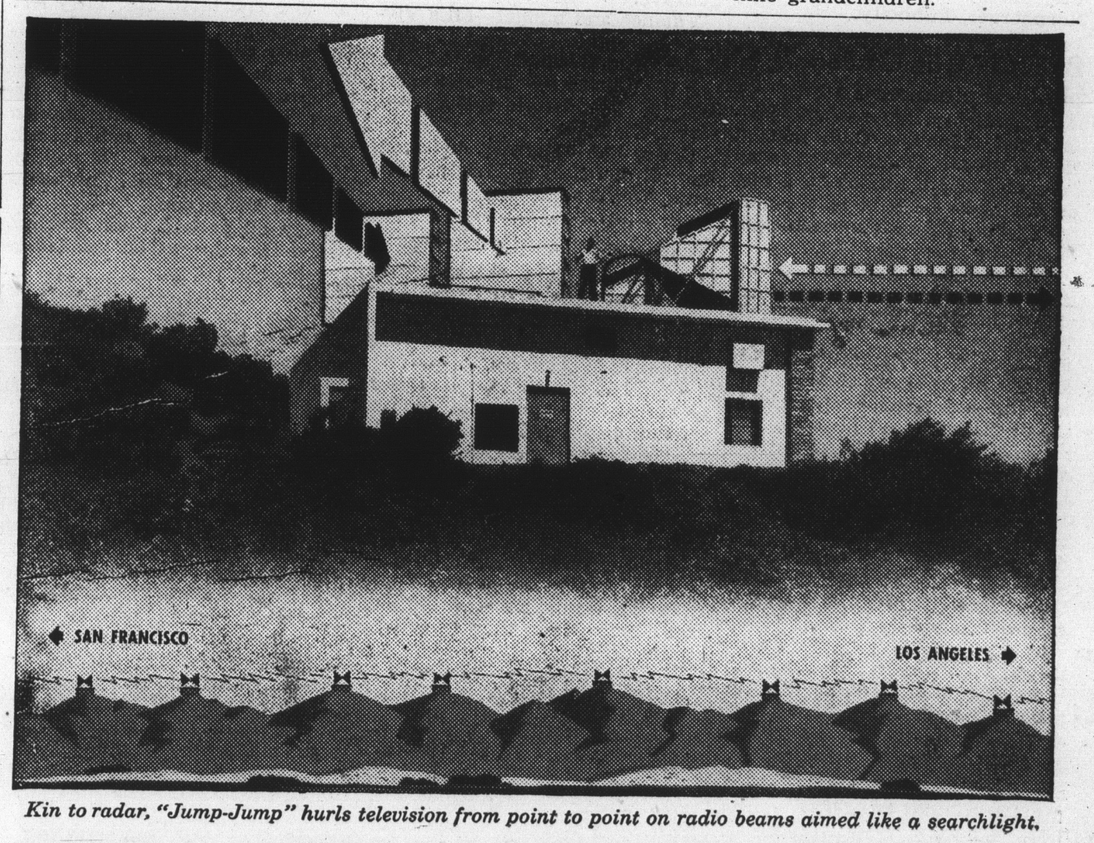
He was appointed supervisor of the fourth district on Sept. 2, 1938, following the death of Joe Frank, and was continuously returned to the office. He declined to run for re-election this year because of his health.

Odell had served as chairman of the board since January, 1947.

Odell was a past noble grand of Grass Valley Lodge No. 12, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, and was a member of the Grass Valley Elks Lodge.

An ardent huntsman and fisherman, he was an active member of Grass Valley Sportsmen's club.

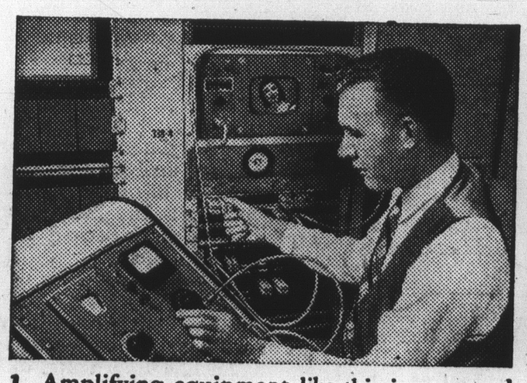
He is survived by his wife, Pearl; daughters, Mrs. Florence Maganini, San Leandro; Mrs. Ethel Smersfelt, Richmond; Mrs. Mildred Spang, San Francisco; son, Earl Odell, Vallejo; brother, Marel Odell, Grass Valey; and nine grandchildren.



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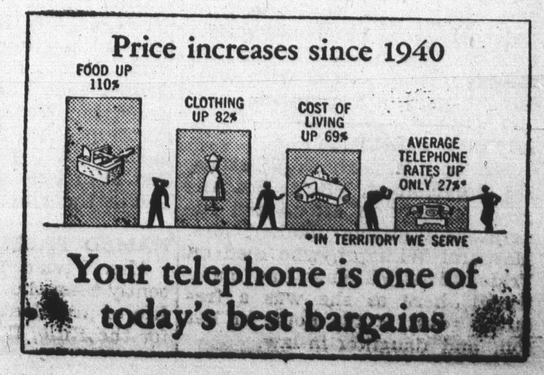
1. Amplifying equipment like this is connected with the hornlike antennas above to relay television programs or long distance telephone calls from one part of the country to another. Engineers call it micro-wave...for it uses high-frequency radio waves, and it gets its nickname, "Jump-Jump," because the beams leap-frog between relay stations located on mountains 28 to 65 miles apart.



2. Television programs can be relayed from one point to another by micro-wave or by coaxial cable. The first leg of a Western television network will begin operating between San Francisco and Los Angeles September 15 over the newly-completed "Jump-Jump" system. And we're going ahead with surveys and experiments to extend the television network to other areas of the West.

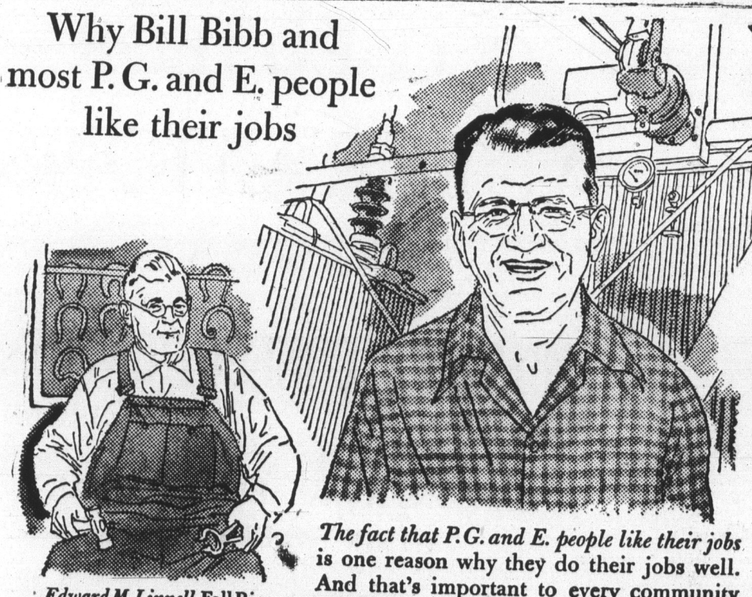
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Edward M. Linnell, Fall River Mills, California, was a blacksmith and welder with us before he retired on a pension. Ed is famous for his work with corrective horseshoes, and still runs a small forge in back of his home.



Bill Johnston, estimator in our Sonora office, has been with us eight years—with time out to fight a war. His job is surveying farms for electrification. Bill is enrolled in classroom courses open to all employees—a young man on his way up.

Virginia E. Harris, clerk in the General Office Engineering Department, was a pretty sick girl for two months last winter. But P. G. and E.'s cooperative Benefit Plan took care of practically all her expenses. And she's planning to catch up on the skiing she missed last season when the first good snow hits the hills.



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Social and Club News

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Fall Membership Tea of AAUW Scheduled for Saturday, Sept. 23

Annual fall membership tea of Nevada County Branch, American Association of University Women, will be held Saturday, afternoon, Sept. 23, from 3 to 5 o'clock at the home of the association's president, Mrs. William Cassettari, Grass Valley.

Plans for the tea and for the year's program were made at a meeting of the executive board which met at the home of Mrs. Cassettari last week.

Other officers of the association include Mrs. George Higer, vice president and program chairman; Mrs. H. E. Abell, recording secretary; Mrs. Leland Smith, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Daniel Hirsch, treasurer.

Chairmen of departments are: Mrs. Erik Andersen, Creative Arts; Mrs. Dorothy Dyke, International Relations; Mrs. A. J. Parsons, Afternoon Book Review and Bulletin; Mrs. Edward A. Frantz, Social Studies; Mrs. Carlton Thomas, Courtesy; Mrs. Elwyn Mulcahy, Education.

Mrs. William Wilson, Economic and Legal Status of Women; Mrs. John Larue, Fellowship; Mrs. Dan Moy, Historian; Mrs. F. V. Liotta, Legislative Program; Mrs. Roy Terrell, Membership; Mrs. Thomas Taylor, Motion Pictures; Mrs. Leon Sanford, Radio; Mrs. Roger Snipe, Recent Graduates; Mrs. Don Knowlton, Social; Mrs. Paul Viles, Grass Valley Telephones; Mrs. Al Wallis, Nevada City Telephones; Mrs. Stanley Hornberger, Publicity.

BPWC Maps Garden Show September 23

Nevada City Business and Professional Women's Club met at the National Hotel Wednesday noon and mapped plans for a garden show to be held in the gardens fo the Richard Bennett residence Saturday, Sept. 23.

The affair is expected to attract scores of visitors from Roseville, Lincoln, Loomis and Grass Valley.

A special invitation to BPWC groups from other communities will be extended by President Clayre Lipman and Miss Frances Mason at the northern district meeting at Mae Ah Mee lodge at Lake Tahoe today and tomorrow.

Taking part in the luncheon forum sessions were Mrs. Louella Anderson, Mrs. Wanda Lageson, Mrs. Betty Leiter, Mrs. Louise Kyle, Mrs. Grace Walker, Mrs. Louise Hornberger, Mrs. Genevieve Elliott, Mrs. Ruth Weintraub, Miss Mason, Mrs. Audrey Weselsky, Mrs. Gertrude Zollers, Mrs. Mabel Prentiss, Mrs. Isabel Hefelfinger, Mrs. Ida Mae Foote and Mrs. Doris O'Shaughnessy.

Vernon Stoll Marries Mrs. Georgia Schauer

Nevada County District Attorney Vernon Stoll and Mrs. Georgia Jean Schauer, both of Grass Valley, were married Friday at Grass Valley Methodist church by Rev. Donald Getty, pastor.

The bride wore a lightweight fall suit of brown with brown accessories and a small close-to-the-head hat. Her corsage was red rosebuds.

Following a wedding trip to the coast the couple will make a home on Carey Drive, Grass Valley.

SURPRISED

Mrs. Seth Terry of Glenbrook was greatly surprise last Friday night when several of her friends arrived at her home, their arms ladened with baby gifts and refreshments for the evening.

Mrs. Goldie Abel, Mrs. Noni Brown, Mrs. Maxine Crain, Mrs. Kay Viles and Mrs. Ruth Hutton, all of Grass Valley, and Mrs. Eadie Johnson of Nevada City, were among the guests present.

WEEKEND VISITORS

Mrs. Harry L. Englebright had her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Englebright of Sacramento, as her house guests over the weekend. Her son, an attorney, is associated with Wallace Shepard in Sacramento.

ATTEND FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Williams, 163 Grove street, left for Los Angeles Sunday to attend the funeral of Williams' mother, Mrs. Margaret Williams, who died on Friday. Mrs. Williams had many friends here as she was a frequent guest at the home of her son, and daughter-in-law.

Soroptimist Club Reveals Committee Members

The Soroptimist club of Nevada City met Wednesday noon at the National hotel for luncheon and a business meeting.

Mrs. Sam Weiss was presented with a gift of a small black coffee cup, beautifully wrapped.

She had recently undergone a surgical operation at Jones Memorial hospital and this gift was presented in place of flowers.

Next Wednesday, at the club's meeting and luncheon, Mrs. Ida Mae Foote will be honored as the only club member who has a birthday in September.

President Dorothy Randolph presided.

Committee appointments for coming year were announced yesterday by the Nevada City Soroptimist club as fellows:

Attendance and hospitality — Mrs. Teresa Cassettari, chairman, Mrs. Gertrude Lantz, Mrs. Pat Henneman, Mrs. Nellie Schiffner.

Service and welfare — Mrs. Georgina O'Connor, chairman, Mrs. Elsie Nile, Mrs. Ida Mae Foote and Mrs. Virginia Kerr.

Program — Mrs. Henneman, chairman; Mrs. Marguerite Gentile, Mrs. Dorothy Randolph, Mrs. O'Connor.

Social activities — Mrs. Schiffner, chairman; Miss Elma Hecker, Mrs. Hazel Bergemann.

Projects—Mrs. Alice Scheemer, chairman; Mrs. Myrtle Weiss, Mrs. Ruth Berggren.

Classification and membership —Mrs. Virginia Hilliard, chairman; Mrs. Scheemer, Mrs. Lisetta Scheave.

Finance and budget—Miss Vivian Berggren, chairman; Mrs. Lantz, Mrs. Weiss.

Publicity — Mrs. Minerva Wright, chairman; Mrs. Berggren, Mrs. Bergemann.

Civics—Mrs. Gentile, chairman; Mrs. Hilliard, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Ruth Weintraub.

New York Couple Enjoys Nevada County Attractions

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kervan of Scarsdale, N. Y., were the recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Longmier of Alta Hill.

The Kervans flew to Honolulu where they stayed one month, returning to San Francisco to attend the Florists Telegraph Dispatch convention which was in session for five days.

The Longmiers attended this convention also.

The Kervans returned to their home on the California Zephy after an enjoyable stay in our mountains which they so greatly admired.

PROUD GRANDPA

Mrs. Donald Manfriedo, the former Betty Veale of this community, made her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Veale, proud grandparents, by presenting them with little Richard Charles, who was born in Fresno Sept. 6. The Veales drove immediately to the San Joaquin metropolis to see their first grandchild.

RECUPERATING

Mrs. Kate Wasley has been at the bedside of her two grandsons, George and Jerry Wasley, in Grass Valley, for several days. George was brought home from San Francisco where he underwent surgery with Dr. Stevens, a specialist, performing the operation. Jerry was under the care of Dr. H. N. March of Grass Valley. The boys, who are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. George Wasley, are both improving.

GARDEN MEETING

Nevada City Garden club met yesterday at the home of Past President Beatrice Renfree for a regular monthly business meeting. The main point of the program was an exchange of plants. Proceeds derived from this were added to the treasury. Delicious refreshments were served, with Mrs. L. A. Hiscox and Mrs. Lester Kyler acting as co-hostesses.

LIONS HEAR FBI AGENT

Nevada City Lions club held a regular meeting in conjunction with district meeting of the North Donner zone Lions clubs at Deer Creek Inn Wednesday night. The guest speaker, Harry Kimball, a member of the FBI staff at the San Francisco office, gave a talk before the club.

NAMED PRESIDENT

Mrs. Vivian Hartman has recently been chosen to hold the office of president of the Auxiliary for the Rifle, Rod and Gun club.

Eastern Star Members Busy Visiting Chapters

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elliott of Nevada City drove to Roseville Friday to attend Rose chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star. Mrs. Jewel Gramner, worthy matron of that chapter, greeted several visitors from here, Grass Valley and Colfax.

Mrs. Margie Keckler, Worthy Matron of Aurora Chapter, Grass Valley; Mrs. Georgia Helbach, Deputy Grand Matron of the OES, who lives in Colfax; Mrs. Mary German, Mother Advisor of the Order of Rainbow for Girls of Nevada City, and Mrs. Elfried Lawrence and Mr. and Mrs. Elliott were among those who attended Brothers' Night at Roseville, and so enjoy the clever magician who presented the evening's entertainment.

The Elliotts spent the night in Roseville with friends, returning home the following day.

Tuesday evening, the Elliotts drove to Penryn to attend All Officers' Night of Penryn Chapter, OES. Fifteen Worthy Patrons and 19 Worthy Matrons were in attendance as well as a large assembly of members.

Mrs. Carol Jane Morgan, Mrs. Geraldine Mooers and Mrs. Florence Harter accompanied the Elliotts. Mrs. Jane Sbaffi and several others from Nevada City and Grass Valley were present.

A food sale, which was scheduled for tomorrow, will be held next Saturday, Sept. 23, at 10 a.m. in front of the Alpha Hardware Store. Officers of Evangeline chapter will be in charge.

Next meeting of the chapter will be Tuesday at the Masonic hall at 8 p.m. This will be the Friendship night when officers of other chapters will open and close the meeting. Mrs. Augusta Smith will be chairman for the evening.

Home Department Enjoys Fair Via Chartered Bus

Nevada City Home Department members are still reminiscing on the trip they took to the state fair in a chartered bus. They left at 8 a.m. and returned at 2 a.m. The only gentleman passenger to the fair with the ladies was Joy Hilliard, but on the return trip Jack Townsend assisted him in escorting nearly 25 ladies back to their home town. Of course, Mrs. Hilliard and Mrs. Townsend were in the group.

They all packed their lunches, which they spread on the tables provided for them.

Next meeting will be at Pioneer park on Sept. 28. The painting class did not meet during the month of September.

Mrs. Ruth Leonard and Grass Valley Man Wed

Mrs. Ruth Leonard of Nevada City and G. L. Romeo, Grass Valley, were united in marriage last week in services of the Church of Jesus Christ, Latter Day Saints with Elder Angus Fox officiating. The ceremony took place at the Romeo ranch Monday, Sept. 4, in the presence of about forty family members and friends, who also attended the reception.

The couple will make a home on the Romeo ranch on the Auburn highway.

FROM SOUTHLAND

Harold Baker, formerly of Nevada City, but now residing in Los Angeles, called on many of his old acquaintances when he spent a few days in Nevada City attending to business for the lumber firm he is connected with. He and his wife were formerly neighbors of the H. W. Whipps on the Tahoe-Ukiah highway.

SORORITY MEETS

The Beta Sigma Phi Sorority held its first fall meeting last night at the home of President Mrs. Lou Hartman on the Ridge Road. This club meets twice a month with a membership of 35. Refreshments were served after the business session.

HOME AGAIN

Friends and neighbors of Mrs. Ed Pollard were happy to see her home again and improving, after undergoing treatments for her eyes in Sacramento. While there, she stayed at the home of her nephew.

CIVIC CLUB TO MEET

Nevada City Women's Civic club will meet Wednesday at 12:30 p.m. for a pot-luck luncheon in the gardens of Mrs. Beatrice Butcher on the Ridge road. This is the first fall business session and a number of interesting matters will be brought before the club.

RECOVERING

Mrs. James C. Crockett is rapidly recovering from her recent serious illness, and she hopes to drive to Chicago around the first of October to join her husband, Colonel Crockett, who is head of the civil defense program for the state of Illinois.

Mrs. George Raddue Jr. Entertains Ridge Road Garden Club Tuesday

Ridge Road Garden Club met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. George Raddue Jr. on the Ridge Road for a dessert luncheon and business meeting.

Mrs. Carroll Rogers, president, assisted in welcoming the following guests: Mrs. George Avery, Santa Barbara, sister-in-law of Mrs. Raddue; Mrs. John Wilson, San Jose, daughter of Mrs. Beatrice Butcher; Mrs. John Beck, San Francisco, friend of Mrs. John Shannonhouse; the speaker, Mrs. Garvin Mitchell, Colfax; and Mrs. May L. Trash, mother of Mrs. Raddue, who lives with the Raddue Juniors.

Mrs. Stuart Chalmers of Grass Valley and Mrs. Mae Raddue were co-hostesses.

Mrs. Mitchell who is the flower arrangements chairman for the Colfax Garden Club, and also writes a column called "Garden Clock" in the magazine called "Golden Gardens," published in California by the Federation of Garden Clubs, spoke on exhibiting, judging and staging of flower shows.

A book called "The Handbook for Flower Shows," written by Esther C. Grayson, and passed by the Council of State Garden Clubs, Inc., was referred to often.

Mrs. Mary Longmier, a member living on Alta Hill, spoke a few words on notes she took at the Florists Telegraph Dispatch convention in San Francisco.

Next month's meeting will be held at the Ralph W. Kuska home on the Ridge road. Mrs. Longmier will speak on "Flower Arrangements."

Jean Franklin Estes Brings Bride From Maryland

Mrs. Hazel Estes met her new daughter-in-law for the first time when her son, Jean Franklin Estes, brought his bride to Nevada City to meet his family. They had married Aug. 4 at Clarksville, Md., at a beautiful home wedding.

The bride, the former Margo Ortel, graduated in June from the University of Maryland at College Park, Md.

They met in the summer of 1946 when they both visited the "Camp Farthest Out" of which Dr. Glenn Clark is the founder, at Lake Karomis, at Paineville, Minn.

Estes is an instructor at the Chadwick private school in Redondo Beach, in southern California, where the newlyweds will make a home.

Jimmie Stewart, a friend of Estes, who is a music instructor and drama coach of Chadwick school, came north to join in the greeting of the bride and groom.

His hobby is folk singing, and accompanying himself on the guitar and many happy hours were spent in the Estes home listening to his songs while he was their guest. He plans to spend Christmas vacation in Nevada City with Margo and Jean Estes when they come home for holiday skiing.

RETURNED HOME

Ross Lyons, Grass Valley, who was recently injured at the Empire mines where he is employed as metallurgist, was released to his home Sunday from the Miners hospital.

FAIR-MINDED

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wasley of Nevada City spent an enjoyable day at the state fair Sunday. Wasley is well known to all, being employed at the post office.

FROM STOCKTON

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schmidt, who formerly lived in Stockton, had weekend guests from that town. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Schmit enjoy coming to Nevada City to visit old friends.

ATTENDS WEDDING

Miss Ruth Libbey, a recent graduate of the University of California, spent the weekend in Oroville, where she attended the wedding of a close friend.

WEEKENDING

Mr. and Mrs. Emil J. N. Ott of Broad street, spent the weekend visiting their son, Emil Ott Jr., in Sacramento.

LAVERNE CALKINS KILLED

Laverne Calkins, Long Beach, son of the late Clifford Calkins, early day resident of Nevada City, was instantly killed last week in an automobile accident in the southland. Among survivors is an aunt, Mrs. Margaret Kirkham of Nevada City. He also leaves a wife and two children.

STREET DANCE CANCELLED

Saturday night street dances have been cancelled until next spring according to an announcement last night by Ray Spickelmier, president of the Nevada City chamber of commerce.

Wisconsin Folks Like Our Mountains, Naturally

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Bettcher of Willow Valley entertained relatives from Wisconsin by driving them to various points of interest durng their stay in Nevada City.

Bettcher's niece, Mrs. Ella Mallock, his grandniece, Miss LaVerne Mallock and great grandniece, Jo Ellen Mallock, and a cousin of the Mallocks', Miss Elsie Wagonknecht, drove from Kohler, Wisc., and are now on their way home via San Francisco, Yosemite national park, Los Angeles, Hoover dam, and Grand Canyon national park.

The Mallocks particularly enjoyed visiting friends of the Bettchers at Lake Tahoe Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Mull Sr., who have a beautiful summer home there.

Mull suggested the visitors be driven to the top of Sugar Loaf to enjoy the extensive view of the surrounding country. Mull is still contemplating the building of a summer home on top of Sugar Loaf, whch would be half way between his Sacramento and Tahoe homes.

A. M. Mull Jr., who also lives in Sacramento, was named president of the California Bar association.

Family Dinner and Social To Open PTA Season

Nevada City High School Parent-Teachers Association opens its fall season with a family dinner and social affair at the high school Monday, Sept. 25.

Plans for the meeting were completed at a session of the executive board at the home of Mrs. B. E. O'Shaughnessy Wednesday.

Topic of the evening will be "International Relations and Educational Groundwork in Our Schools for World Citizenship." The discussion will be led by Edward A. Frantz, high school principal.

Dinner will be served by the sophomore class mothers followed by folk dancing demonstrations by the Nuggeteers and family night dancing.

Mrs. Kent Walker will preside.

Fall Flowers and Care Told Blue Tent Gardeneers

A general discussion of fall flowers and their care featured a meeting of the Blue Tent Garden Club at the home of Mrs. Arthur Davies Wednesday.

Mrs. W. H. Barnhart demonstrated the preparation of dainty carnation sachets and Mrs. William L. Davies brought fresh cut lavender and demonstrated the making of lavender sticks which the members took home as souvenirs.

Refreshments were served by the hostess aided by Mrs. Jonathon Miller.

Reports of Great Sun Session Given Ponemah

Mrs. Peggy Mlinarich, one of the local representatives at the Great Sun Session of the Degree of Pocahontas in San Jose last month, gave a report on the session at a meeting of Ponemah Council No. 6 last Friday evening here.

Mrs. Mlinarich was accompanied to the San Jose meeting by Mrs. Thelma Butz, Mrs. Elizabeth Lashbaugh, Mrs. Hildered Branson, and Mrs. Annabelle Brake.

Mrs. Butz was seated as Deputy Great Pocahontas of Ponemah Council at the Great Sun session.

Five visitors from Valhalla Council No. 196, Auburn, attended the seating of Mrs. Butz. They were Madge Cook, Fanny Mickerson, Mignon Young, Josephine Spencer and Beverly Thornton.

Mrs. Thornton served as pianist for the evening in the absence of the Ponemah Council musician.

Following the business meeting refreshments were served by the committee headed by Mrs. Goldie Anderson.

Mrs. Edith Fertig, drill captain, was presented with a gift from the team.

Mary Moore and Stuart Ivey Marry in Oakland

Miss Mary Moore and Stuart Ivey, both of Banner road, were married Friday, Sept. 1, in Oakland.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Moore. She attended school in Oakland.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clair Ivey and was educated in the Grass Valley school system.

The newly married couple are at home at the Highway Courts in Grass Valley.

Mrs. Moore accompanied her daughter to Oakland for the ceremony.

GRANDSON IN KOREA

Mrs. Margaret Kirkham has received word that her grandson, Sgt. Frank Kirkham, Compton, landed in Korea Aug. 16, with the Second Division. He is assigned to a tank corps in the division. He is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Kirkham, who formerly lived in Blue Tent before moving to Compton.

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NELSON BUILDS GRIDIRON TEAM FROM SCRATCH

One of the coaches of the Sierra Foothill conference is moaning he has only six candidates for quarterback position on his football team. Coach Thomas Nelson, new chief of the Yellowjacket varsity of Nevada City high school would like to have two candidates for a position on his squad.

With only three regulars from the 1949 squad Nelson is pessimistic about his first year's team. He thinks they may come up with an upset or two during the season, but he doesnt' have sufficient weight and experience to cope with the bumper crop of plunging fullbacks around the conference, such as 195-pounder Bob Sinnock of Placer and Chuck Hollmer of Grass Valley.

Nelson looks with hope at the bumper crop of sophomores in the local high school and feels that 1952 can be the year for the Yellowjackets. Until then it will be a matter of building.

Nelson is pleased with the progress of the team in working with the T formation.

In the key quarterback position LaVerle Nelson and Jerry Coleman show the most promise. Nelson can also double at fullback. Both are seniors.

Veteran Gordon Lageson will capable handle the pivot post of the line. Nelson plans to use a five-man line on defense and he feels Lageson will carry the brunt of the defensive work against the plunging fullbacks.

Wayne and Derek Thiessen, transfers from Elk Grove high school appear to be the outstanding linemen of the squad and may get the starting tackle assignments. Wayne is a junior and his brother is a senior.

Other promising tackle candidates are Harold Doopelmayr and Kent Walker. Wayne Thiessen and Walker double at end.

Three seniors are the leading candidates for the workhorses of the line—the guards. Bill Beverage, Jerry Brady and Bud Deschwanden will see most of the action this year. Deschwanden is doubling at center.

Joe Griggs and Doug Atkins, both seniors, lead as choices for the wingmen on the line. Both are showing promise in snagging passes.

Jim Scribner will probably get the nod as starting fullback with Melo Pello giving him strong competition. Nelson plans to depend on Pello for most of the punting on the team.

Chuck Degraffenreid and Bob Pohley, both juniors, show up as excellent halfback material, with Dean Morrison, senior, and Dave Mott, another junior, and Pat Kistle scheduled to see plenty of action.

Pell and Fred Benuzzi, a center candidate, are out of heavy action for a week as a result of minor injuries and may possibly miss the opening practice game with Gridley a week from tonght.

Operating from a T formation, Nelson will depend on his quarterbacks for a major part of his forward passes. He is particularly pleased with the hard running displayed by Pohley and Degraffenreid.

Nelson estimates his line will average 155 pounds and his backfield about 150.

New candidates yet unassigned to possible positions are Bud Seeberg, Noel Weldon, Ed Zagolo and Caster.

A directer scrimmage will be held tonight at 7:30 at Hennessy field, Grass Valley, against the Folsom high school team.

CALIFORNIA SEASON ON BEAR TOMORROW

California's three and one half month bear hunting season opens tomorrow with good prospects for the hunter to bring home his seasonal limit of one bruin, the division of fish and game reveals.

Bear facts about the coming season: shooting hours are from one-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset; between Sep. 16 and Oct. 15, no more than one dog per hunter may be used for taking bears or deer or both; firearms and bow and arrow are legal weapons, but trapping is prohibited.

About 2,000 of the state's estimated population of more than 20,000 bears will be taken before the season ends Dec. 1, the division predicts.

YELLOWJACKET BUZZINGS

By Darleen Crowley

The Freshman and Sophmore brawl was held last Friday afternoon on the turf in back of the high school. The brawl is planned by the Seniors and it took the place of the annual Freshman initiation. The brawl consisted of a softball game between the Freshmen and Sophomore girls, races and other various activities. In the evening the annual Freshman dance was given in the high school auditorium by the Seniors, with all Freshmen being admittedfree. Refreshments were served.

The Sophomores headed by Warren Immel, Class advisor, and assistant advisor, Mrs. Margaret Stevens are having a dance this Friday for the Freshmen. The dance will begin at 8 p. m. Refreshents will be served.

Hal Draper, science teacher, showed his general science class some very interesting experiments on air and organic and inorganic materials.

Mrs. Constance Pfiffer English II Class is scheduled to start "The Tale of Two Cities" by Charles Dickens, next week.

For the students who like to jitterbug or would like to learn, special jitterbug lessons started last Wednesday afternoon in the high school auditorium.

This season's first P. T. A. meeting will be held Monday, Sep. 25, with Mrs. Kent Walker, president.

HUNTERS WARNED

Prospective buyers of ammcnition were warned this week by Undersheriff Otis Hardt that tracer bullets being distributed in the area as excess army equipment will start fires in highly inflammable timber, according to tests conducted by Deputy Sheriff Floyd Pond.

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HUNTERS OPEN CAMPAIGN FOR VENISON SUPPLY

California hunters will set out tomorrow in an effort to beat their 1949 record take of 52,000 deer as the state's second, and major deer hunting season opens in 36 counties and portions of counties for a one-month run.

The central and south coastal season comes to a close at one-half hour after sunset tonight. Deer tag returns for the early hunting season have been lagging approximately 10 percent behind last year's totals, the division of fish and game reports.

The state's major hunting effort will get under way one-half hour before sunrise Saturday in the Sierra(north coastal, and Lassen-Modoc areas. Portions of San Diego, Riverside, Imperial and San Bernardino counties are included.

John Wentzel, local game warden, predicted deer hunting in the high mountain country might be improved over last year. He said "Most deer appear to be in very good condition. Wolf mountain area looks good, and the extreme upper reaches of Camp Beale. The back country above Bloomfield looks fair."

Tom Borneman Jr., of Truckee reported deer hunting should be fair but that hunters will have to walk more due to wider range of deer this year. With abundant feed and water the deer should be in good condition.

Owen Mello, Loyalton, reported a scarcity of large bucks in his district, although he predicts good hunting in eastern part of Sierra county. He said an adequate supply of small bucks prevails.

Two bucks is the seasonal limit in Del Norte, Trinity, Humboldt, Tehama, and westerly portions of Shasta and Siskiyou counties. One buck is allowed elsewhere, except that no forked-horns may be taken in Modoc county, and portions of Lassen, Shasta, and Siskiyou counties.

Shooting hours have been set between one-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset. Shotguns and pistols are out lawed in deer hunting.

Deer tags, useful in keeping track of hunting pressure and biological trends, must be attached to the antlers of each deer taken. Among thist authorized to validate tags are employees of the division of fish and game, state and federal forest rangers, peace officers, justices of the peace, park rangers, and officers of locker or cold storage plants.

General hunting conditions averaging slightly better than usual can be expected by hunters.

Pre-season prospects ranging from "poor" in Humboldt county to "very good" in Placer county have been reported by wardens of the division of fish and game.

For the opening day of the 30-day Sierra, north coastal, and Modoc-Lassen hunting season, wardens predict the following outlook by county:

BUTTE—Fair. Deer in good condition. Ample water supplies.

ELDORADO—Fair. Very few deer seen.

NEVADA—Fair to good. Deer scattered. Abundant feed and water.

PLACER—Very good. Deer plentiful througnout the county.

PLUMAS—Good. Many forked horn and three-point bucks. Woods dry with extreme fire hazard.

SIERRA—Good. Large bucks scarce. High fire hazard.

Church Announcements

Methodist Church
Mill and Broad Streets
George C. Pearson, pastor

9:45 a.m. Church school, offering instruction for all ages.

11 a.m. Morning worship, sermontopic, "The Christian Challenge."

Grace Lutheran Church
Grass Valley
Walter C. Rubke, pastor

The sermon will be based on God's word, Gal. 5, 25-6,10.

Sunday School, 10 a. m.

Divine Worship, 11 a. m.

Christian Science Church

Christian Science Society of Nevada City holds services every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at the church, 114 Boulder street. Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.

Testimonial meetings are held on the first and third Wednesdays of each month at 8 p.m.

Reading room is located at 207 Main street, and is open Monday, Wednesday and Friday, holidays excepted, from 2 to 4 p.m.

A lesson-sermon on "Matter" is to be read in Christian Science churches Sunday.

Hatched

OSTROM—At Jones Memorial hospital, Grass Valley, Sept. 8, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Alec Ostrom, Sierra City, a son.

ENLIST IN AIR FORCE

Lowell Hiscox and Raymond Nelson have enlisted in the U. S. air force and will leave for basic training at San Antonio, Texas, Wednesday.

NID WATER USERS ASSOCIATION

Sept. 14, 1950

Under date of Sept. 8th, at a meeting of the Nevada Irrigation District Water Users Association, several citizens came forward and advised the officers of certain irregular tactics used by the solicitors for the recall of directors of the district.

The statements of the individuals were taken and duly notarized. This statement is being turned over to the District Attorney for Nevada County as of this date.

The following is an exact copy of the notarized statement:

"We, the undersigned do hereby attest and affirm, that the following statements are true facts—

"Mr. Carl Brock came to our places and informed us that all the directors were going to be recalled and Mr. Varney was to be ousted and the district was going to start all over with a clear slate. Mr. Brock said that it was up to us to sign this petition in the district to oust Arnold. Due to the fact that no effort was made to recall Mr. Griffith and Mr. Powers, we feel that we were led to sign the recall petition under false representation."

Signed: WILLIAM L. HOTCHKISS
Signed: A. H. SMOCK
Signed: O. DRAPER
Signed: SYDNEY V. SMITH
Signed: MARVIN PAUL

Duly Notarized Sept. 8, 1950.

NOTICE

THE WATER USERS ASSOCIATION IS GIVING THE DIRECTORS OF THE NEVADA IRRIGATION DISTRICT AN OPPORTUNITY TO VOICE THEIR OPINIONS ON THE COMING RECALL ELECTION.

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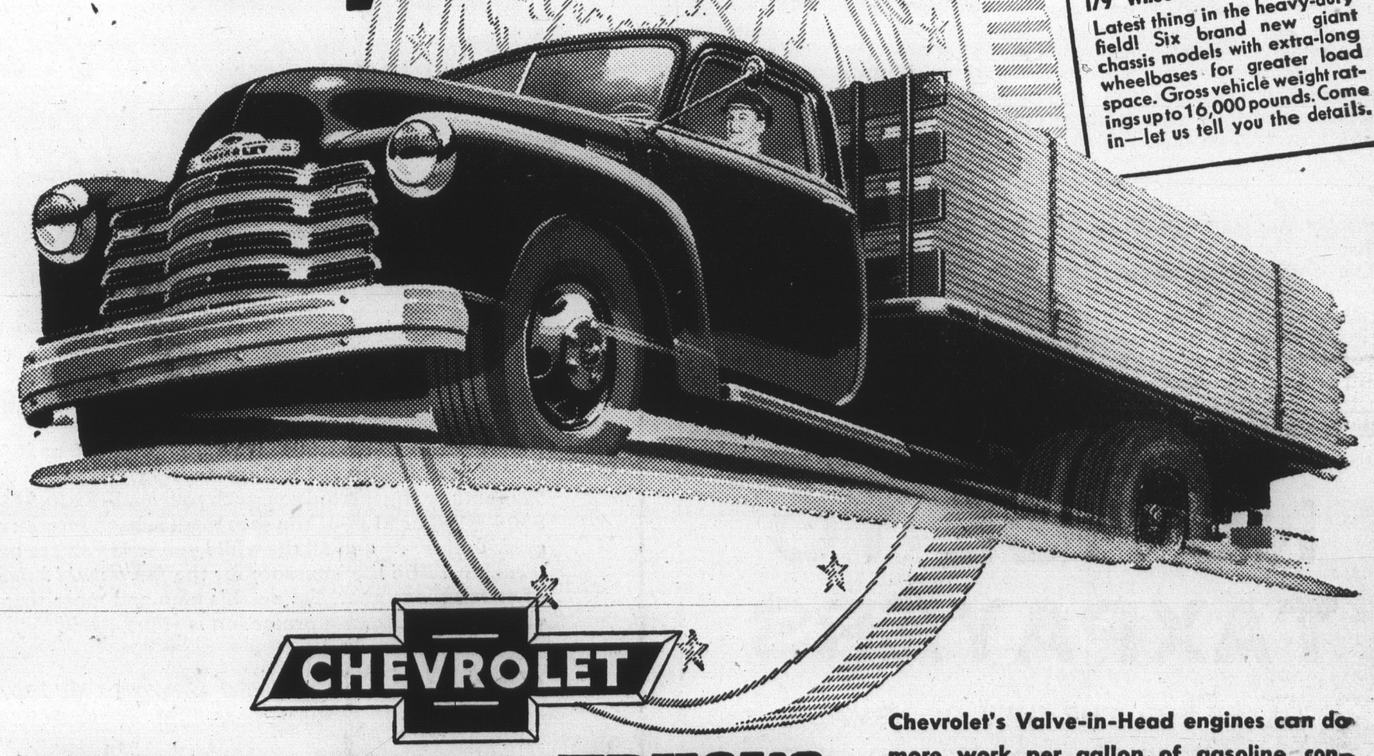
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REAPPRAISAL PROGRAM STARTS IN OCTOBER BY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE TO ESTABLISH CONTINUING POLICY

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welfare 3, church 20, and veteran 1,020.

Of real property appraisals in 1949 there were six operating mines, 1,056 mining claims or possessory interests, four water utilities, and 263 timber units in the special type classification. Among the industrial types were 17 manufacturing plants and 35 sawmills.

In addition to setting up the reappraisal and continuing program the board of equalization also recommends Nevada county adopt the following program:

1. Transfer all duties of billing and collecting unsecured property taxes to the county treasurer.
2. Attempt to complete the reappraisal program in 1952 for use on the 1953 rolls.
3. Expand and record value data used in appraising urban and rural properties.
4. Survey all privately owned timber stands to determine the quantity, quality and accessibility of the stand.
5. Estimate the replacement costs and accrued normal depreciation of all improvements and record all appurtenant data.
6. Use the standard statement form adaptable to use with the parcel numbering system.
7. Appraise business personal property and fixtures by inspection and reference to books of account and appraise household, farm, and other personal property by inspection and rating.
8. Expand the work of preparing a modern set of property maps, and conform the map installation project with the standards prescribed in the assessor's handbook.
9. Install the standard parcel numbering system for identifying property ownerships delineated on the maps and correlating the maps with other assesment records.
10. Install the standard tax rate area numbering plan.
11. Install master property record cards and file in parcel number sequence.
12. Prepare a property description cross-index.

The survey recommends timber reappraisals include types, densities and ages of Nevada county's 168,000 acres of privately owned forest cropland. Records of cuttings and other depletions should keep the appraisal up-to-date.

The board of equalization reported the plat maps on which work started in 1948 do not conform to the state specifications but a relatively small amount of work will change the maps to standard. The state office also recommended that henceforth all changes and corrections in maps be made only by a draftsman.

Copies of the report by the state board of equalization are available for study at Scadden's office.

The survey was made under provision of a 1947 act of the legislature authorizing the board of equalization to make surveys to determine adequacy of procedures and practices of county assessors in valuation of property for the purpose of taxation.

The responsibility of the assessor's task is one of the most important of local gevernment officials. The major source of revenue in local-level government is the general property tax, and the quality of the administration of local government depends upon the handling of that supporting tax, and the equity of property assessment—a factor that reflects upon the county assessor.

The county assessor has no easy or popular task. He is accountable for locating, evaluing and enrolling all assessable property in the county. This calls for maintenance of comprehensive maps, property ownership records, and extensive appraisal data on heterogenous properties within the county.

The rapid social and economic changes of the past decade have made the problem of the Nevada county assessor manifold. A continuous flux of property values requires persistent and continual checking of property values if equalization of assessment is to be maintained.

In addition to field work the assessor has abstractions of deeds, building permits, property statements and tax exemption claims, as sources for discovery and inventory of property. Physical and economic factors influence the appraisal of property and income analysis, sale value and replacement cost give the assessor an indication of the value of property.

The property tax load in Nevada county maintained an even keel for the first six years of the survey through the 1944-45 fiscal year. Then it started to climb until the last fiscal year, 1949-50 when it was more than double the first survey year. The assessed valuations, according to the survey, meanwhile have not kept pace with the tax property load, and show an increase of 60 percent over the 1940 valuation of $10,000,000 (locally assessed). The current secured roll (locally assessed) is $15,488,480 with exemptions at $1,088,370.

Population was not a determining factor for the assessor beyond the fluctuation of a decade that saw the census drop during the war as people went away to war industry and service; climb rapidly with peace, and then fade away the past year until the 1950 census showed only 17 more persons in the county than in the 1940 census. The population of the decade was almost double the 1920 and 1930 census when the county sank to a low of only 10,000 persons, following a steady decline after the Sawyer decision in 1884. The state board estimates Nevada county will grow during the next decade and predicts a population of 25,000 in 1960.

Real estate activity fluctuated with the population. The years 1946 and 1947 were peak years for realtors according to number of deeds recorded, while 1939 and 1948 showed the most activity in subdivisions.

"Good luck, Mr. Nixon!"



The great, great granddaughter of General Mariano Vallejo, first governor of California, pins a good luck charm on her favorite candidate.

Youngest among the "Women for Nixon" boosters, at a recent overflow meeting in San Francisco, attended by prominent women from many Northern California counties, was Miss Tica Francisca Vallejo McGettigan, 2nd., aged 9, of 2722 Baker street, San Francisco. Bearer of an illustrious name and a charming smile, the great, great granddaughter of California's first governor takes an active interest in state and national affairs. Above she is shown pinning one of her favorite good luck charms on her favorite candidate for the U. S. Senate, Representative Richard M. Nixon.

TAX DUE TODAY

The third quarter installment payments on estimated declarations of income tax liability for 1950 are due today, Collector of Internal Revenue J. G. Smyth of the First California District announced. The collector pointed out that tax statements should be returned with your check. Tax changes now pending in congress will not effect the installment payment due today.

Under the Moors, Cordoba, Spain was the largest city in Europe.

MOTHER LODE FAIRS MEET IN G. V. OCT. 2

Mother Lode Area of Fairs, an organization of the district, and county fair officials and directors of the seven Mother Lode counties, will meet in Grass Valley Monday, Oct. 2, for a quarterly session.

Manager Loyle Freeman and Secretary Edith Scott of the 17th District Agricultural Association of Nevada county, are also president and secretary respectively of the Mother Lode Area of Fairs.

An afternoon meeting at the fair grounds and an evening dinner will feature the program.

Counties of the area include Mariposa, Tuolumne, Calaveras, Amador, El Dorado, Placer and Nevada.

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pared to come in with some definite recommendations at or about the same time as the government task force makes its report.

Flood Control—Irrigation

With reference to flood control and irrigation projects: the president has set up a very strict list of requirements which a project must meet before it can proceed. Among these are the contribution to the national defense, if any, whether or not the project produces power needed in the war effort, how much critical manpower and materials are needed, and whether or not the project is of such urgency that it cannot be delayed until some later date.

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OFFICE HOURS: 8:00 A. M. TO 5:00 P. M.

SAM HOOPER
Ex-Officio Tax Collector

NID UNIT MEETS AT PARK LODGE TONIGHT AT 8 PM

Residents of the Nevada City area of the Nevada Irrigation District will have an apportunity this evening to hear arguments pro and con on the approaching recall election of Directors Herb Nile and Max Arnold, at a meeting of the NID Water Users Association at 8 o'clock in Seaman's Lodge, Pioneer Park.

Arnold and Nile face recall in an election scheduled for Tuesday, Oct. 3, following petitions submitted under the active leadership of the NID Land Owners Association, a recently organized body of ranchers.

The recall election was precipitated by the ousting of Manager Forrest Varney by the vote of Nile and Arnold with H. J. Gleason.

An attempt to include Gleason in the recall was dropped when the sufficient number of petition signers were unobtainable.

The NID Water Users association met last Friday evening at the Adolfo Locatelli ranch in Chicago Park, and was attended by about 125 persons who wrangled about the personalities and policies of the opposing organizations.

Nile was the first speaker at the meeting and stated Varney, who had been fired at a morning session of the NID directors, was discharged for continued refusal to take the board into confidence and commencing work on the district without knowledge of the board.

Nile was challenged by J. S. Overmire, Chicago Park; J. B. Francis, Auburn, and Albert Gelhaus, Chicago Park.

David Hartman's report of the 1949 operations of the NID was read at the meeting. Hartman, a Grass Valley certified public accountant, included several suggestions and recommendations in his report, which has received little publicity since it was presented to the NID last February.

TRINITY BAZAAR TODAY AND TOMORROW

Sale of hot dishes, salads and pastries at 2 o'clock this afternoon will open the annual bazaar of the Trinity Episcopal church, according to Mrs. H. J. Ray and Mrs. J. F. Siegfried, co-chairmen of the event.

Tea will be served from 3 to 5 o'clock this afternoon at the church.

Tea will be served tomorrow from 2 to 4:30 p.m. Fortune telling will accompany the teas.

Tomorrow evening dinner will be served from 6 to 8 p.m., under the sponsorship of the Trinity Men's Club.

In charge of the various committees are: Mrs. Ray Polk, tea; Mrs. Helen Sawyer, home-canned foods, food bags and treasure cloths; Mrs. Mamie Filler and Mrs. Clifford Pooler, dart game, fish pond and grab bag; Mrs. Minerva Wright, Mrs. Violet Chapman, fancy work; Mrs. Betty Leiter, rummage; Mrs. Ruth Tamblyn and Mrs. Hazel Bergemann, parcel post sale; Miss Ann Ray and Miss Jane Ray, magazine exchange and white elephant sale; Miss Elma Hecker, personalized Christmas cards.

LOUIS MONFRE FOUND DEAD IN CABIN HOME

Funeral services were held at Bergemann Funeral Chapel Wednesday afternoon for Louis Monfre, 75, who was found dead Saturday morning in his cabin at 342 Clay street. Interment was in Odd Fellows cemetery.

Monfre, a native of Italy, and resident of Nevada City for almost fifty years, complained of chest pains Friday evening to a neighbor, Mrs. Virgil Giani. Saturday morning, another neighbor, Al Pratti, climbed through a window of the cabin and found the body.

Surviving are a son, Fred, of Calistoga; two daughters in Italy, and two grandchildren, Louisa and Silvia Monfre, Calistoga.

WEEKEND ELECTRIC STORM SETS 16 FIRES

A lightning storm that hit the Tahoe national forest Sunday at noon started 16 small fires, according to Gordon Lawlor, dispatcher at Tahoe headquarters, here.

A light rain that accompanied the storm prevented the fires from getting beyond control.

The Red sea was important in Egyptian seaborne commerce as early as 2,000 B.C.

NUGGET FREE TO ALL SERVICE PERSONNEL

The Nugget will be sent free to all personnel of the armed services for the duration of enlistments.

The only information we ask is the address and notification of changes of station.

The policy was initiated at the outbreak of the Korean incident but will become a permanent fixture in Nugget policy in war or peace.

Several servicemen have already taken advantage of the offer and The Nugget invites all service personnel from Nevada and Sierra counties, and the Camptonville section of Yuba county to accept the offer.

CREDIT REGULATIONS TIGHTEN ON MONDAY

Under authority of the Defense Production Act of 1950, the board of governors of the Federal Reserve System reinstated regulation of consumer installment credit through regulation W effective at the opening of business next Monday.

The regulation covers automobile instalment credits of $5,000 and less and other instalment credits of $2,500 and less. Except that home improvement credits are now covered and terms are generally tightened, the regulation is in much the same form as the regulation which expired June 30, 1949.

The limitations initially established are:

Down payments of at least one-third, and maximum maturities of 21 months for automobiles.

Down payment of at least 15 percent, and maximum maturities of 18 months for appliances: Refrigerators, food freezers, radio or television sets, phonographs, cooking stoves, ranges, dishwashers, ironers, washing machines, clothes driers, sewing machines, suction cleaners, air conditioners and dehumidifiers.

Down payments of at least 10 percent, and 18 months maximum maturity for furniture and rugs.

Down payments of at least 10 percent, and 30 months maximum maturity for home repairs, alterations or improvements.

YUBA-SUTTER FAIR ENTRIES RESTRICTED

Entries for competitive awards at the Yuba-Sutter fair Sep. 29 to Oct. 1 will be restricted to residents of neighboring counties for the first time this year.

Subject to available space, entries in open divisions will be accepted from Yuba, Sutter, Butte, Plumas, Yolo, Colusa, Placer, Sacramento, Sierra and Nevada counties.

Entries, except in the floriculture division, will close at 5 p. m., Tuesday. Floriculture will be accepted up to 9:30 a. m. on the day of judging, and flower exhibits will be judged each day of the fair.

JOSEPH DAY & SON OPEN REMODELED OFFICE

Joseph Day & Son, local real estate dealers and insurance, opened their newly remodeled office in the Masonic building on north Pine street this week.

Day has been selling insurance in Nevada county for 16 years and has been in his present location for the past 10 years.

Included in the remodeling of the office was a new face for the entrance to the Masonic building, which was built in 1863.

Remodeling of the office was done by Tom and Marshall Reynolds, local contractors, and was designed by George Mathis, local artist.

HARMONY IN THE AIR FORCE

George and Gene Peterson, twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peterson, Glenwood, and part of a trio and quartet of Peterson brothers who have made quite a name for themselves with their singing ability, enlisted in the air force in Sacramento last week. They have been assigned to basic training in San Antonio, Texas. Gene has been employed as a teller at the Nevada City branch of the Bank of America.

ATTENDS CHICO STATE

Miss Honi Ray, daughter of City Councilman and Mrs. H. J. Ray, has enrolled at Chico State College. She is a graduate of Lowell high school, San Francisco., and will study for a teacher's degree.

Coal sometimes ignites spontaneously in a shaft, the phenomenon being called a "gob" fire.

TRANSCONTINENTAL BUS SERVICE WOULD COST $50,000 A YEAR

Transcontinental bus service via the newly completed Bear valley grade on highway 20 east of Nevada City would cost the county economy an approximate $50,000 a year, according to Kent Walker, operator of the Nevada County Bus Lines.

Walker told a Nugget reporter thsi week that amount would be the approximate annual loss in wages to 10 employees and supplies necessary to the operation of the local bus company.

Walker stated the company could not continue without the linking service between Nevada City and Colfax and Auburn. The mail contract would not justify continued operation and the discontinuance of the local bus line would mean the end of employment for his staff.

Walker added a Greyhound bus service would add no employees or purchasing power of supplies to Nevada county.

The Nugget last week editorially proposed transcontinental bus service for Nevada City and Grass Valley by diverting some highway 40 schedules at Auburn and Emigrant Gap, via highway 20 and 49.

DOWNIEVILLE WOMAN KILLED ON DEPOT GRADE

Mrs. Jean Bauman, 40, Downieville, was killed Sunday night when a pick-up truck she was driving plunged over a 200-foot embankment on the Depot Hill grade of highway 49, about one-half mile from the North Fork of the Yuba river.

The accident was investigated by the California highway patrol and Sheriff Dewey Johnson of Sierra county. She was alone in the car at the time of the accident. The officers believed she was out of the car and it rolled over her crushing her life away.

A native of Seattle, Wash., she was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yoder, of Seattle. Others surviving are her husband, Fred, employee of Cal-Ida Lumber Co., Downieville; son, Eugene Endlund of Florida; and brothers, Charles Yoder, Jr., and Holly Yoder, both of Seattle.

The body was brought to Nevada City by Bergemann Ambulance Service.

The world's oldest town, Cadiz, Spain, has maintained its identy and name for about 3,000 years.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF DEFAULT

WHEREAS, FRED ANDERSON, on January 12, 1949 made and executed to CROCKER FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO, a corporation, as Trustee, for the benefit of THE GOLDFIELD CONSOLIDATED MINES COMPANY, a corporation, a deed of trust, which said deed of trust was recorded in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Nevada, State of California, on January 13, 1949 in Book 139 of Official Records, at page 108 et seq.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the grantor in said deed of trust named, has committed a breach of the obligation for which such deed of trust is security, the breach consisting of the failure to pay instalments of principal and interest, as required thereby, and that the undersigned, beneficiary under said deed of trust, exercises its election to declare all indebtedness, obligations and sums secured hereby to be immediately due and payable, and to cause to be sold the property in said deed of trust described, to satisfy the obligation secured thereby and unless said obligation is satisfied theretofore, that said property will be sold as provided in said deed of trust.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this instrument this 15th day of August, 1950.

THE GOLDFIELD CONSOLIDATED MINES COMPANY
By E. A. JULIAN
Vice President and General Manager.

(SEAL)

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
)ss
City and County of)
San Francisco)

On this 15th day of August, 1950, before me, Eugene P. Jones, a Notary Public in and for said City and County of San Francisco, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared E. A. JULIAN, known to me to be the Vice President and General Manager of THE GOLDFIELD CONSOLIDATED MINES COMPANY, the corporation described in and that executed the within instrument, and also known to me to be the person who executed it on behalf of said corporation, and he acknowledged to me that said corporation executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal in the City and County of San Francisco the day and year in this certificate first above written.

EUGENE P. JONES
NOTARY PUBLIC in and for the City and County of San Francisco, State of California.
My Commission Expires December 29, 1951.
(SEAL)

Recorded at the Request of Brobeck, Phleger & Harrison Aug. 23, 1950, at 11 min. past 10 o'clock A. M., in book ..... of Official Records, page ....., Records of Nevada County.

JOHN E. NETTELL,
Recorder.

Publ. Sept. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, 1950.

NOTICE OF CONTRIBUTION

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF NEVADA,
June 28th, 1950.

TO: MARGARET F. JOHNSON:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that I have expended the sum of $4,500.00 in labor and improvement upon the OCTO PLACER MINING CLAIM as will appear by Certificate filed on the 31st day of May, 1949, in the office of the Recorder of the County of Nevada, State of California, in order to hold these premises under the provisions of Sec. 2324 Revised Statutes of the United States, being the amount required to hold the same for the year ending on the 30th day of June, 1949, and if, within ninety (90) days from the service of this Notice, or within ninety (90) days after this Notice by publication, you fail or refuse to contribute your proportion of such expenditure as co-owner, your interest in said claim will become the property of the subscriber under Sec. 2324.

JOSEPH C. BEACH

Publ. June 30, July 7, 14, 21, 28, Aug. 4, 11, 18, 25, Sept. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, 1950.

NOTICE

The regular Monthly Meeting of the Board of Directors of BLACK ROCK PLACER MINING DISTRICT was held at the Office of the President, W. H. Taylor, 942 Russ Building, San Francisco, California, at 11:00 A.M., Tuesday, September 5, 1950:

Present: W. H. Taylor, Jane F. Taylor, Geo. Brent.

Absent: Theo. Larsen, Thomas H. Taylor.

The following resolutions were introduced by Jane F. Taylor, seconded by Geo. Brent and unanimously adopted:

RESOLVED, That in conformity with Section 50, Placer Mining District Act, the Black Rock Placer Mining District is established as one election precinct, the boundaries thereof to be those of the Black Rock Placer Mining District as described in the Resolution of the Board of Supervisors, Nevada County, dated May 9, 1934;

RESOLVED, That the House of Carl Condit, Nevada County, is hereby designated as the polling place of the election precinct of the Black Rock Placer Mining District;

RESOLVED, That Kenney M. Day be appointed as Inspector, and Carl Condit and Mrs. K. M. Day, Judges, for this election;

RESOLVED, That the election shall be held on Tuesday, November 7, 1950, that the polls shall be open from 8:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M. for the purpose of electing two Directors for the term of four years;

RESOLVED, That the voting shall be secret, written ballot, said ballots to be in the following form:

BALLOT

The regular general election ballot to be used, showing names of Directors to be voted for and providing blank spaces for names to be written in;

RESOLVED, That the Nevada City Nugget is a newspaper of general circulation, published and circulated in Nevada County. The Secretary of the Board shall cause to be published therein three notices of this election.

There being no further business to come before this Meeting, on motion of Director W. H. Taylor, seconded by Director Geo. Brent, the same was duly adjourned.

GEO. BRENT, Secretary.

Publ. Sept. 15, 22, 29, 1950.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
No. 5122

In the Matter of the Estate of Martha Bradley Hogue, also known as M. B. Hogue, also known as Mrs. Lundy Hogue, also known as Mrs. L. B. Hogue, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned, Bank of America National Trust and Savings Association, Executor of the Estate of Martha Bradley Hogue, also known as Martha B. Hogue, also known as M. B. Hogue, also known as Mrs. Lundy Hogue, also known as Mrs. L. B. Hogue, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the deceased, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers to the said Executor at the office of Bank of America National Trust and Savings Association, at its office on the southwest corner of 8th and J Streets, in the City of Sacramento, County of Sacramento, State of California, which said office the undersigned designates as its place of business in all matters connected with said estate of said deceased, within six (6) months after the date of the first publication of this notice.

DATED this 7th day of September, 1950.

BANK OF AMERICA NATIONAL TRUST AND SAVINGS ASSOCIATION,
Executor of the Estate of Martha Bradley Hogue, also known as Martha B. Hogue, also known as M. B. Hogue, also known as Mrs. Lundy Hogue, also known as Mrs. L. B. Hogue, deceased.
By: J. D. LUMIS, Trust Officer.
JOHN L. LARUE,
Attorney for Executor.

Publ. Sept. 8, 15, 22, 29, 1950.

CERTIFICATE OF DOING BUSINESS UNDER FICTITIOUS NAME

The undersigned does hereby certify that he is conducting a printing and publishing business at 305 Broad Street, Nevada City, County of Nevada, State of California, under the fictitious firm name of NEVADA CITY NUGGET, and that said firm is composed of the following person, whose name and address is as follows:

KENNETH W. WRAY, 425½ Spring Street, Nevada City, California.

WITNESS MY HAND this 29th day of August, 1950.

KENNETH W. WRAY.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
)ss
COUNTY OF NEVADA)

On this 29th day of August, 1950, before me, JOHN L. LARUE, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn personally appeared Kenneth W. Wray, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written.

JOHN L. LARUE
Notary Public in and for the County of Nevada, State of California.

(SEAL)

Publ. Sept. 1, 8, 15, 22, 1950.

ALIAS SUMMONS
No. 9686

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NEVADA.

RICHARD S. WORTH, LETITIA WORTH HALEY, MERVYN WORTH and LOVINA WORTH, Plaintiffs, vs. GEORGE MURPHY, also known as GEORGE E. MURPHY, CURTIS VINUM, WILLIAM J. GREENTREE, LUCILLE JUDD, ROSE MARGARET MURPHY, THE NATIONAL HOTEL COMPANY, a partnership, J. VANCE HUCKINS, CAMILLE VANCE HUCKINS, J. R. RYAN, ESTELLE G. BERGLIN, MAY W. LEMP, JOHN DOE JOHNSON, VLADIMIR VUCINICH, MILTON MIZELL, LEO WEINTRAUB, FIRST DOE, SECOND DOE, THIRD DOE, FIRST DOE COMPANY, a corporation, SECOND DOE COMPANY, a corporation, and THIRD DOE COMPANY, a co-partnership, Defendants.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA SEND GREETINGS TO:

GEORGE MURPHY, also known as GEORGE E. MURPHY, CURTIS VINUM, WILLIAM J. GREENTREE, LUCILLE JUDD, ROSE MARGARET MURPHY, THE NATIONAL HOTEL COMPANY, a partnership, J. VANCE HUCKINS, CAMILLE VANCE HUCKINS, J. R. RYAN, ESTELLA G. BERGLIN, MAY W. LEMP, JOHN DOE JOHNSON, VLADIMIR VUCINICH, MILTON MIZELL, LEO WEINTRAUB, FIRST DOE, SECOND DOE, THIRD DOE, FIRST DOE COMPANY, a corporation, SECOND DOE COMPANY, a co-partnership, Defendants.

YOU ARE HEREBY DIRECTED TO APPEAR and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the county of Nevada within ten days after the service on you of this Summons, if served within this county; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said Plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the Complaint, as arising upon contract, or they will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the Complaint.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the county of Nevada, this 5th day of September, A. D. 1950.

R. E. DEEBLE, CLERK
By: RITA HUTCHISON, Deputy.

(Seal of the Superior Court).

Publ. Sept. 15, 22, 29, Oct. 6, 13, 20, 27, Nov. 3, 10, 1950.

Want Ads

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8—Nevada City, California, Friday, September 15, 1950

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(Continued from page one)

Nevada Journal, 46 Main Street, N. P. Brown & Co., proprietors—E. G. Waite, H. M. Fuller, John P. Skelton, Nat P. Brown.

A Baruh, 25 Main Street, dealer in clothing.

C. H. Bain and J. R. Scranton, contractors and builders, 54 Main Street

Frisbie's Restaurant, 4 Coyote Street, M. L. Clinkard, proprietor.

Union Livery Stables, Broad Street, Cooper & Armstrong, proprietors.

United States Hotel, corner Broad and Pine Streets. T. W. Colburn and A. R. Jenkins, proprietors.

Nevada Iron Foundry, Spring Street, Edward Coker, proprietor.

County Surveyor's Office—John Day, County Surveyor. John L. Gamble, Deputy.

Francis S. Dunn and Geo. S. Hupp, attorneys at law. Office in Bullington's Block.

Ford's Rifle Box Co. Office, 24 Commercial Street. J. S. Skinner, Secretary.

Wendelin Dreyfus, United States Bakery, Pine Street.

Bernard Franz and Reinhold Esche, liquor dealers, 16 Commercial Street.

Frisbie's Theatre, L. P. Frisbie, Agent.

John Herzinger, dealer in boots, etc., 39 Commercial Street.

Sidney C. Herbert, real estate agent, 27 Pine Street.

Dr. H. and R. M. Hunt, physicians, Room 9, Potter's Brick Building, 36 Main Street.

Dr. Hillerscheidt, Homeopathic Physician, 81 Broad Street.

Sol. Kohlman, dealer in clothing, 45 Main Street.

McAllister & Kent, Keystone Market, 3 Main Street.

J. R. McConnell and Wm. M. Stewart, attorneys at law. Office, corner Broad and Pine Streets.

T. B. McFarland and J. I. Caldwell, attorneys at law. Office, opposite Court House.

Chas. W. Mulford, banker, 37 Main Street.

Thos. Marsh, sign painter, 10 Commercial Street.

J. Mansell, sign painter, 25 Pine Street.

Golden State Bakery and Restaurant, 20 Main Street, Charles Nivelles, proprietor.

Potter & Crittenden, dealers in crockery and glassware, books, etc., 34 and 36 Main Street.

Fountain Restaurant, 24 Main Street, C. E. Pierson, proprietor.

A. A. Sargent, attorney at law, 36 Main Street.

Philadelphia Dry Goods Store, 23 Commercial Street, Steifel & Cohn, proprietors.

J. S. Peters, carpenter, Rear 47 Broad Street.

Palmer & Church, carriage and wagon factory, 10 Coyote Street.

Union Hotel, 25 Broad Street, E. W. Smith, proprietor.

Stillman Thomas, carpenter, Spring Street.

Sweeney's Restaurant, 24 Pine Street, Lewis Sweeney, proprietor.

J. S. Skinner, physician, 24 Commercial Street.

Simmons & Co., Mountain Crockery Store, 48 Main Street.

H. R. Styles, music and book store, corner Broad and Pine Streets.

Rosenheim & Bro., 33 Main Street, jewelry store.

E. W. Haywood & Co., wholesale liquor dealers, 35 Broad Street.

A Rosenthal, merchant tailor, 33 Commercial Street.

Rosenheim & Bro., corner Broad and Pine Streets. Dealers in dry goods.

Ross' Restaurant, 37 Commercial Street. Ross & Buie, proprietors.

Oriental Hotel, 16 Main Street, W. H. Taylor and A. E. Head, proprietors.

Yates & Tallman, dealers in hardware, 18 Commercial Street.

Geo. E. Withington and A. G. Bentley, dealers in paper hangings, etc., 7 Broad Street.

H. I. Thornton, Jr., attorney at law. Office, corner Broad and Pine Streets.

Frisbie's Saloon, 2 Coyote Street. Geo. H. Rogers, proprietor.

H. W. Galvin, dealer in harness, etc., 38 Broad Street.

The German Hotel, Main Street, J. A. Schiller, proprietor.

Wagon and Joiner Shop, 3 Broad Street. Sam P. Whitmarsh, proprietor.

A Home For The Sick, 79 Broad Street, Mrs. Holbridge, doctress.

J. F. Rudolph, druggist, 21 Commercial Street.

Nevada Brewery, 80 Broad Street. E. Weiss, proprietor.

C. W. Young, 1 Commercial Stret. Jewelry store.

New York Branch Shoe Store, 27 Commercial Street. J. A. Martin, proprietor.

John K. Dallison, real estate broker, 42 Main Street.

Pacific Express Company, 26 Main Street, J. Lambert, Agent.

City Market, 98 Broad Street, James Monro, proprietor.

Wm. Heugh, 15 Broad Street. Blacksmith shop.

City Bakery, 55 Broad Street. John Notter, proprietor.

Pacific Rrestaurant, 2 Main Street, S. W. Grush, proprietor.

J. P. Van Hagan, justice of the peace, 50 Broad Street.

M. H. Funston, dealer in groceries and liquors, 4 Main Street.

Metropolis Billiard Saloon, 29 Main Street. Geo. Lewis and Geo. Wright, proprietors.

Well,s Fargo & Co., 42 Main Street. Chas. H. Mead, agent.

R. H. Ferre, 4 Plaza. Gold Dust Exchange and Special Deposit Office.

S. J. De Young & Co., 26 Commercial Street. Dealer in dry goods, clothing, etc.

GRASS VALLEY

Kendall & Spencer, book sellers, Main Street.

E. McLaughlin, Mill Street. Dealer in hardware, etc.

Grass Valley Bakery and Provision Store, Mill Street. C. R. Edwards & Co.—the company being A. B. Brady.

Grass Valley Telegraph, published by W. B. Ewer.

Wm. H. Lamb, Mill Street. Dealer in watches and jewelry.

Robert Hombray, civil engineer. Office at Gold Hill Mill.

A. Witkowskie, newspaper depot, Main Street.

Commercial Hotel, corner Main and Auburn Streets. Thomas & Mitchell, proprietors.

M. S. Norton, blacksmith, Main Street, next City Hotel.

Hotel De France, Main Street. Mme. Bouhere, proprietress.

Miss Lang's School for Young Children, Main Street.

Phoenix Steam Flour Mills, Bennett Street. Bennett & Tilley, proprietors.

Richard G. Killaly, mining engineer.

Burdette & Glass, manufacturing jewelers, Main Street.

Marshal & Co., cor. Main and Mill Streets. Dealers in groceries.

E. Friedman, Masonic hall. Dry Goods and Clothing.

Aurora House, Main Street. T. Barber and V. T. Mordoff, proprietors.

J. K. Byrne and P. T. Healy, Galena and Mineral Point Store. Dealers in groceries, etc.

Excelsior Livery Stable, Main Street. B. F. Woidworth and T. J. Cook, proprietors.

Bartlett & Co. Established in 1849. Dealers in groceries, clothing, etc.

J. H. Henderson, Main Street. Boot and Shoe Store.

City Hotel, Mitchell & Maiden, proprietors.

Geo. D. Dornin, Daguerotypist, and C. K. Shaw, Dentist. Office in Dorning's Building, Main Street.

J. Cohn & Co., Main Street. Dealer in clothing, etc.

Silvester & Co., Main Street. Dealer in groceries, etc.

A. B. Dibble, attorney at law, School Street.

Western Hitel, Wm. Hobby, proprietor.

ROUGH AND READY

D. Bovyer, Bovyer's Ranch, Newtown. Dealer in miner's supplies.

D. B. Comstock & Co. Dealer in hardware and agent for Wells, Fargo & Co.

Howard & Co. Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Geo. W. Bristow, Livery Stable.

Isaac Dunster, Barber and Dentist.

Collins & Keyes, Exchange and Gold Dust Office. Agents Pacific Express.

Henry Hillard, Tailor.

R. B. Powers, Dealer in Groceries, etc.

E. W. Roberts, attorney at law.

Thomas S. Davis, blacksmith.

Benjamin Ladd, blacksmith.

Kean & Heritage, groceries.

INCREASED WELFARE ASSISTANCE AND OVER-ALL BOOSTS UP COUNTY BUDGET TO AN ALL-TIME RECORD

A boost of $723,121.04 for the welfare department accounted for most of the climb in the increased requirements that sent the 1950-51 budget of Nevada county to an all-time high of $3,330,114.35. The current budget is $803,077.30 over the previous record budget of $2,527,037.05 of 1948-49.

The welfare departments was not alone, as all departments except roads and bridges showed substantial increases over the 1949-50 budget.

These figures are obtained from the printed budget compiled by County Auditor Ralph E. Deeble.

The board of supervisors met on Aug. 21, and approved the county budget as submitted and officially set the tax rate at $2.30, 33 cents above last year's rate.

Budget figures for the past three years including the current fiscal year are as follows:

Function			
General government	$124,666.88	$141,509.23	$161,089.00
Protection	80,976.90	83,258.10	94,728.00
Health and sanitation	30,569.50	33,002.75	37,975.00
Roads and bridges	259,459.55	353,040.66	258,519.26
Recreation	26,474.82	7,970.62	86,886.67
Charities	837,329.93	643,181.96	1,366,303.00
Miscellaneous	28,931.66	28,770.22	41,900.00
Education	6,386.76	6,265.80	7,345.00
Unappropriated reserves		20,000.00	20,000.00
General reserve		47,000.00	52,000.00
Special disticts		1,081,413.88	1,199,972.52

Of the record breaking budget, $2,130,141.83 is required to operate the county government, while $1,199,972.62 will be used in the administration of special districts, including school districts. An estimated $961,446.64 is required to be raised by property taxes, of which $24,740 will be raised on unsecured rolls.

The 1950 assessed valuation of Nevada county is $25,405,070, of which $15,488,480 is locally assessed. Exemptions from welfare and church organizations and veterans total $1,088,370 leaving a valuation of $24,316,700 from which to assess taxes.

Nevada county had a balance of $287,275.37 on hand at the start of the fiscal year and expects $1,361,647 income from other than taxes. The breakdown shows: property tax levies of former years, $3,145; subventions and grants, $1,288,982; permits, $450; fines and penalties, $17,300; privileges, $1,500; rents, $250; interest, $3,000; fees, $12,550; special services, $29,870; miscellaneous, $4,200; inter-governmental service, $400.

State and federal grants include: U. S. Forest Reserve apportionment, $3,000; motor vehicle fuel tax, $193,483; motor vehicle in lieu tax, $59,559; state and federal grants for welfare assistance, $922,699; tuberculosis control subsidy, $11,388; alcoholic beverages taxes, $18,153; federal welfare administration subsidy, $1,000; county service officer, $4,500; veterans buildings, $29,700; detention home, $17,000; agricultural commissioner, $3,000; special aviation fund, $500; special road improvement, $25,000.

The supervisors estimated $15,000 as revenue from traffic fines, $1,000 from fish and games fines, $50 from superior court fines, and $1,250 from justice and municipal courts. Revenues from fines totaled $23,776.50 in 1948-49 and an estimated $23,405.30 during the past fiscal year.

Although the supervisors approved $12,550 as an estimate of fees, county officials last year collected $17,649.51 and in 1948-49 collected $14,855.83.

Nevada county's government was not the recipient of a gift or donation during the past two years.

In a breakdown of operation of general government the board of supervisors has no change in salaries, but increases are budgeted in all other expenditures. Road inspection is up $300; traveling expenses $200; conventions $50; printing the budget $50; printing $250; association memberships $50. New expenditures this year are $1,200 for the recent salary survey and $400 for a garbage disposal site.

Salaries in the county clerk's office have been boosted $1,506 with a new account clerk included in the increase.

A special audit of the county is budgeted at a 50 percent boost to $1,500 for the current year.

The county treasurer and tax collector has a $328 boost in the current budget.

The assessor's office calls for a boost of $4,800, the major part of which is for the reappraisal program to be started in October to place the county on a continuing basis. A complete analysis of the reappraisal program appears in another column of this edition. The supervisors approved $10,000 to start the program on its way. There is a $7,500 reduction for plat maps over last year, but there are large increases in the budget to take care of the purchase of office equipment and supplies to start the new system in the assessor's office.

A boost of $540 is registered in the district attorney's department.

The supervisors budgeted $250 for the county planning commission principally to be used for inspection expense. Last year the commission spent no money.

A $625 fund for advertising for bids accounted for a major part of the increase for the county purchasing agent.

The approaching general election expense balances the primary election of June which was part of last year's budget but is reduced approximately $7,500 — the cost of last fall's special election.

Maintenance of the courthouse building is almost the same as last year although lower. Lights in the offices of the clerk and treasurer, a fire escape, and the painting and cleaning of the building are balanced by the furnace, welfare office addition, air conditioning in the sheriff's office, and completion of the road commissioner's office that was accomplished last year.

The sheriff's office shows little change over last year. The general increase in most items is balanced by new equipment that was installed last year. There is no fund budgeted for new installations during the current fiscal year.

Principal reason of the lower budget figures in the road department is accounted for by the unavailability of state funds at the time of fixing the budget. County superivsors cannot budget anticipated subventions and grants. When state funds are received they are transferred to the road department.

The board budgeted funds for primary road construction projects on the Alta Ridge road, Tyler-Foote's Crossing road, and the Truckee-Brockway road. Repairs to bridges on the McCourtney road, and the North Bloomfield-Graniteville road were also budgeted.

Budget requests for the county hospital this year total almost $19,000 over the previous year. Salaries account for most of the increase.

The board budgeted $59,865 for a veterans memorial building in Nevada City last year, but none of it was spent and it was rebudgeted in the current fiscal year.

Last year the board budgeted $23,070 for the welfare department, but spent $449,397.15 when the program reverted from the state department of social welfare. The board budgeted more than twice the sum the county administered last year for welfare by approving $1,105,359 for a record-breaking assistance budget for the current year.

GUY N. ROBINSON

Candidate for

SUPERVISOR — Fourth District

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FIRE TRUCK DRIVER

Applications for position of Fire Truck Driver for the Nevada City Fire Department and general maintenance for city hall and equipment shop will be received for consideration by the Board of Fire Delegates at a meeting of the said Board to be held commencing at 8 P. M. on Monday, September 25, 1950, at the Firemen's Room in the City Hall. Salary to be $250 per month, hours 24 per day six days a week, one day a week off and two weeks vacation with substitute furnished. The above have been approved by the City Council. Applicants will send written applications, addressed to the undersigned, giving name, residence, age, and general qualifications.

JOHN M. GRAHAM, Chief,
Nevada City Fire Department

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